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Investigating Committee Makes

Its Report.

The Chief Clerk Found Guilty of

Abuse of Power.

Censured.

Waymire Introduces a Resolution to That Effect-Useless Attaches of the Legislature to Be Lopped Off-Legislative Procedings.

IBY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—[Special Dispatch.] The result of the investigation of the attaché scandal is not officially known to the Legislature, but if any member of the Assembly is un-aware of the findings, it is simply because he did not care to ask, and

dodged all those who did inquire. Chairman Waymire and the clerk of the special committee worked far into the early morning on the report but the decision was not fi reached and the report put in 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. It was companied by two resolutions. On motion of Dibble the whole malter was ordered printed in the journal without being read, and after various motions fixing the time, it was made a special order for Wednesday after-

The report of the committee signed by all the members except Dr. Keables, who is indisposed, and Waynire asked permission for him to sign hereafter. It recites that under the esolution calling for an investigation, the committee is restricted to a report of its findings. The committee can express an opinion, but cannot make recommendations to the House. This removed the responsibility for subsequent action from the shoulders of the committee, and left it free to make as strong a report as it chose.

The committee calls attention to Duckworth's abuse of his power, and finds that \$4215.10 mileage and per diem was paid out in excess of the require-

sured for not only recommending excessive mileage, but also a full week's pay to temporary attachés. All memadoption of the Mileage Committee's report are declared censurable for negligence, and those who had previous

The Morning's Rews in The Times

scandal at Sacramento...An eloped couple from Philadelphia take up their abode in California...Bill Winkle fulday in northern portion; cloudy in suicide club.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Southern It expresses the opinion that steps and motions and come from all parts of the house. The resolutions were finally made and the case of Hocking of San (CONTINUED ON THIRD PAGE)

Bernardino is especially called to the

Chairman Waymire introduced an independent resolution setting forth patient consideration of all the facts found that 100 attaches in excess of those actually required were appointed, thereby leading to the unnecessary expenditure of \$4215.10, and that such ataches were deliberately and intentionally appointed by the chief clerk with the knowledge that they were not necessary, and for the avowed purpose of rewarding persons appointed for party services, and, whereas, the committee has found that the chief clerk declared that unless the law shall be changed, he will at the next session appoint enough attachés to exhaust the contingent fund, the chief clerk is guilts of violation of the trust imposed in him: that it is unwise to continue him in office, and that he is removed from office from and after the passage of this

Another resolution by Mr. Waymire provides that all attaches to whom mileage has been paid, except the chief clerk, sergeant-at-arms and minute clerk, be required to refund to the ser-THE MILEAGE COMMITTEE geant-at-arms the sums received by them as mileage, and that the sergeant-at-arms be directed to return said sum to the contingent fund of the Assembly. There was an animated scene during And Assemblymen are Also the introduction of the report. Duckthe introduction of the report. Duck-worth seized and perused it and the accompanying resolutions with avidity. He had previously polled the House sub-rosa and smiled as he read the documents. A stay of proceedings was secured by his friends, who want all the members present when the decisive vote is taken. It is predicted that forty-one votes cannot be secured for Waymire's resolution.

Waymire's resolution.

The chairman of the investigating committee was greatly surprised when told by the Times correspondent that all the members of the committee would not vote in favor of his resolution. He declared that his understanding was that all favored it, and he said he would put every one on record by demanding a roll call. Despite Mr. Waymire's confidence, unless the mem-bers of the committee change their minds, the Times correspondent stands by his former prediction. Waymire, Boone and Emmons will vote for dis-missal. Kenyon, Stansell, Strain and Boone and Emmons will vote for dis-missal. Kenyon, Stansell, Strain and Keables for the report. Speaker Coombs's investigating com-

mittee of three today made a partial report recommending the dropping of six porters, one watchman and two

Bulla's Torrens Land-act Bill passed the Senate today on reconsideration. Mr. Bulla incidentally paid his respects n a characteristic manner to lobbyists

MIDNIGHT RUMORS. Budd and Secretary Brown Boodlers Abrond, [BY THE TIMES SPECIAL WIRE]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5 .- [Special Dispatch.] The fight between the Gov-ernor and Lou Brown in regard to the printing office has led to a repetition of rumors heretofore set afloat con-cerning the Secretary of State's office. It is understood Senator Smith makes It is understood senator smit makes the claim that he was approached in Bakersfield by a prominent official, who bargained for his support of the coyote scalp claim of \$237,000. Smith, how-ever, declined to stand in on the deal, despite the fact that his county is

greatly interested.

It is further claimed that another prominent member from Kern county interested in the welfare of this sure. In this connection it is said that Assemblymen Dennery and Bett-man of San Francisco, as well as Max Popper, prominent Democratic poli-ticians of that city, are manifesting more than usual concern in the fate of the race track bill introduced by Mr. Emmons of that county. Leavitt denied tonight any knowledge

of a red-hot message Gov. Budd is said to be preparing, attacking the print-

PAY-ROLL REPORT.

Wednesday.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—Chairman SACRAMENTO, Feb. b.—Chairman Waymire of the committee of seven ap-pointed to investigate the temporary organization of the House, today pre-sented the committee's report. Mr.

It Rests Much Easier Than it Did.

His Visit to Canton Had a Salutary Effect.

He May Use the Cabinet as a Stepping-stone.

costmaster-Generalship to Be Held Open for Him-Col. McCook's Chances Considered Good-Mc-

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] CANTON (O.,) Feb. 5.—[Special Dispatch.] Chairman M. A. Hanna went to bed in Cleveland tonight with the proposition for his pillow that a place in the Cabinet would be a much stronger vantage ground from which to conduct his Senatorial campaign the Senato of the United States to such stronger vantage ground from which to conduct his Senatorial campaign the Senate of the United States to such stronger it is not at all next fall than the mere chairmanship of an innocuous national committee, and that the Postmaster-Generalship was still open for him and would probably remain so until as near March 1 as possible.

This was the practical result of the national chairman's three-hour conference with Maj. McKinley, and while the Cabinet was by no means the only subject discussed, this alluring alter-native formed the basis of the discussion between the President-elect and his national chairman.

Mr. Hanna arrived in Canton at 10:08 clock. He remained with Maj. Mc-Kinley three hours, and the visit apparently had a salutary effect upon his nerves, for reporters who saw him as he took the train, described him as being in a far more agreeable frame of mind than when he arrived and, while not communicative, rather more inclined to recognize the reportorial right of existence.

Of the actual results of Mr. Hanna's trip, little can be said for the reason that both he and Maj. McKinley have declined to talk. Some impressions have been left, however, of the visit, and these are to the effect that Cabinet-making will, for the present, come to a rest, first, until the decision of Judge Goff is obtained, and then until Gov. Bushnell receives and acts upon

Senator Sherman's resignation.

Mr. Hanna expressed himself here as eing heartily tired of the entire situation, and a gentleman who several hours with the national chairman within the past few days expressed the belief that the latter would refer peace and quiet to any office that could be given him.

If there was any way to secure eaceful solution of the Senatorial question. Mr. Hanna's friends would undoubtedly go to great lengths to secure it. They profess to be for peace, but there is no peace, and Cassius is a-weary of the world." Thus it may be seen that Bushnell, who two week ago was the butt of all political jokers, has held up the adninistration coach, and blocked the triumphal car before the procession was

ven well under wav. In spite of all denials, Judge Goff's Made a Special Order for Next and plans for a decided change in the final members of the Cabinet are under way. Gen. Alger dropped a hint concerning Col. John J. McCook of New Solution of the Miseage Committees of the complete of the committee of seven any properties of the committee of seven and the seven consecutively. Finally o motion by be made a recommediation for the appointment of J. E. Gross, a Los Angeles private detective and ward politician, at the request of Capt. Cross.

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Dispatch.] "California will have the head of the Interior Department for ton, and some of whom have known

within six months, will have completed the most remarkable term ever served on the national Supreme bench. One of these made statements which would indicate that there is a foreknowledge of the resignation by the middle of the summer of Mr. Field, which is to be followed by the promotion of Judge McKenna. The significance of the latter part of the remark lies in the fact that

Canton advices are that Maj. McKinley mised the Missouri friends of Mal William Warner that he should be made assistant to Mr. McKenna. His promotion at the same time would be a graceful compliment to himself and his State.

Justice Field was not on the bench much last week during the cold snap, and a friend who dined with him within the last five days, says the aged jurist is falling away more rapidly than expected in one of his age. There seems no doubt that his term will close when he has eclipsed Justice Marshall's record of long service.

M'KINLEY'S VISITORS.

Mark Hanna and Others Inter-viewed the President-elect. [BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]

CANTON (O.,) Feb. 5.-[Special Dispatch.] Chairman Hanna of the Republican National Committee came down to Canton at 1 o'clock today and returned three hours later. He made specting the Cabinet or the Ohio Senatorship. He told the newspaper men who talked with him, that the rumors that he had accepted a Cabinet portfolio were unfounded but did not say whether he would or would not be the next Postmaster-General. There is some reason to think, however, that a partial arrangement, subject to many changes, has been made.

If Gov. Bushnell indicates that he is not disposed to appoint Mr. Hanna to ceed John Sherman, it is not at all unlikely that Mr. Hanna may decide to accept the portfolio which it can be positively stated has been offered Gov. Bushnell has never said he would not appoint Mr. Hanna, nor is he likely to say so, or to make an ap-pointment at all before Senator Sherman resigns.

The work of completing the Cabinet may be delayed for two weeks or more. If Gov. Bushnell decides to appoint Mr. Hanna, he will doubtless be able to give him something of a hint on the subject within a fortnight.

The delay in finishing the Cabinet will not be serious, for the work of making it has practically been done. There are only two places to fill, and they can be filled very quickly, and in a very satisfactory manner, the time comes. If Judge Goff does not go into the Cabinet, and a South-ern Republican is selected for it, he will be taken from Maryland, Ken-tucky or Tennessee. The Kentucky

people are talking very earnestly about Department of Justice. He is, they say, an eminent lawyer and a repre-sentative Southern Republican. Judge Emery Speare of Georgia is discussed the friends of H. Clay Evans are still onfident that he may be selected.

Judge McKenna of California has

announced his acceptance of a place in the Cabinet. Maj. McKinley hopes to give him the portfolio of the In-terior, but in certain contingencies will have to make him Attorney-General. Gen. Alger said to an old friend in

Clevland vesterday that Col. J. J. Mc-Cook of New York was, in his opinion, a strong Cabinet possibility. The conviction grows among the politicians who visit Canton, that the Presidentelect may not appoint any of the New York men who have been most prominently mentioned in that connection, to the Cabinet. If a man, outside of the field of active politics, is to be chosen, field of active politics, is to be chosen, it seems that it is rather more likely to be Col. McCook than any one less, but, as these dispatches have stated, Maj. McKinley's inclinations do not naturally lead him in the direction of comparatively unknown men, or toward men who are known in a single State or section only, but if he can state of the christian sentinels in Akrostri. When the report was received the valid ordered the troops to proceed to the defense of the Christian villages. The troops were attacked and it is reported that twenty persons were killed. Severally and the control of the can be a seven Christian sentinels in Akrostri.

State or section only, but if he can find just the man he wants, the fact that he has not been in politics will not prevent his selection. This was demonstrated in the case of Mr. Gage.

Maj. McKinley had the usual number of callers today, and 96 per cent. of them wanted office for themselves or friends. Ex-Congressman Bellamy Storer of Cincinnati, who is one of Maj. McKinley's personal friends, came down from Cleveland with Mr. Hanns. Mr. Storer wishes a foreign appointment, and his original desire was to go to Paris as the American Ambassador, but that post is likely to be given to an eastern man, and Mr. Storer may be sent to Spain, Austria or Italy.

J. Addison Porter of Hartford, who is to be Maj. McKinley's secretary, came to Canton again this afternoon and will remain until Saturday. He will have a long talk with the President-elect and be put in touch with the work of organizing the new administration. Mr. Porter is akeen, vigor-sized to the purpose of destroying started for the purpose of destroy

the work of organizing the new administration. Mr. Porter is akeen, vigorous, alert man, who enjoys excellent health. He is affable, approachable and has charming manners. He is diplomatic, too, and a good politician as well as a trained journalist. He Canea have been burned to the grou quickly made a handsome impression here and the veteran Washingotn cor-respondents who are stationed in Can-warships, were attacked by the Musseveral secretaries, unite in the opin-

ion that Mr. Porter is likely to prove the most popular and efficient man who has occupied that arduous and trying position since the war, not excepting Daniel Lamont.
Logan C. Murray of Louisville, Ky.,
was one of Maj. McKinley's callers this

afternoon. He discussed the Kentucky Senatorial situation and the southern Cabinet possibility.

Christians and Moslems in Deadly Conflict.

Desperate Fighting Between the Opposing Forces.

City of Canea Set Afire and Many People Killed.

nristians Take Refuge on Foreign Warships - Two Greek Mcn-of-war Sent to the Scene-Foreign

BY THE TDIES' SPECIAL WIRE 1 LONDON, Feb. 5.—[Special Dispatch. By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch to the Central News from Athens says des-perate fighting has occurred between Christians and Mahommedans in the Island of Crete. Musseulmans have set fire to the city of Canea and the place is now burning. The city is in a state of narchy, and Christians are safe no-Many Christians, who had locked themselves in their houses were driven out by the flames, only to meet death at the hands of Turkish soldiers who shot them down at sight. A number of Christians have succeeded in finding refuge in warships in the harbor, but the outlook for those still in the city is very precarious. The situation is so critical that marines have been landed from British and French

their respective governments.

A later dispatch says the Christian quarters in Canea have been almost destroyed. Various Consulates are crowded with fugitives. The dispatch further says fully 200 persons have been killed in Canea. Many lost their lives

warships to protect the Consulates of

while attempting to reach the warships, Advices received here from various ources confirm the stories of disturbances in Crete and the killing of Chris-Various reports indicate that, in the first instance, the Christians were as much to blame as the Mussulmans.

The Athens correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs that Consuls have arrived at Canea from Halipa and have sent messages declaring the situation is hopeless. He adds that the most intense excitement prevails in Athens. M. de Layannis, Prime Min-ister, announced in the Chamber today that the government, at the instigation of the King, had ordered two warships to proceed to Canea immediately and that other warships would follow tomorrow. The statement was received with the wildest enthusiasm, and with acclamation for the union of Greece and Crete.

CHRISTIANS TO BLAME.

Trouble at Canea Originated Through a False Report. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

ATHENS, Feb. 5 .- (By Atlantic Ca-

ing to the latest advices, the fires started for the purpose of destroying the buildings have not yet been ex-tinguished. CHRISTIAN QUARTERS BURNED.

ATHENS, Feb. 5.-Three-fourths of the Christian quarters in the city of

tians, while trying to escape to the warships, were attacked by the Mussulman population and many were killed and injured. The total number of victims of the recent fighting is estimated at 300.

Minister of Foreign Affairs Skouses has paid a visit to the representatives of the powers statiened here, for the purpose of assuring them all the pacific nature of the mission of the Grecian warships ordered to Crete. The vessels selected, for the expedition include the ironclad Hydra, with a crew of 500 men, and the cruiser Mykale, with a crew of 300 men.

It is reported that a large number of women and children have already been landed in the island of Milo by the Italian cruiser. The men in most instances, remained at Crete. They barricaded their houses and made other preparations for the approaching struggle.

GREEK WARSHIPS TO THE

GREEK WARSHIPS TO THE

FRONT.
ATHENS, Feb. 5.—In the legislative chamber today, the president of the Council, Th. Delyanis, announced that the government had ordered two men-

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"I cannot say. If you got them from Mr. Searles they are correct."
"Do you know any business not in the nature of a monopoly, that pays 15 or 16 per cent.?"
"Plenty of them."
"Tell us core."

"Tell us one of them."
"Coffee, for instance."
"And that is the reason you went

"And the into the int

regarding the fixing or maintaining of prices?"

"I am willing to swear that so far as I know there is no such agreement."

H. O. Havemeyer, president of the American Sugar Refining Company, was sworn, and described the organiation of the Sugar Trust in 1887. The assets, real and personal, of the fifteen companies were purchased by the American Refining Company at the time of amalgamation.

Asked by Senator Lexow if the directors of the fifteen original refineries were not the directors of the present sugar company, Mr. Havemeyer said that six of the original directors, with the addition of William Parsons, were still on the directory board of the American Sugar Refining Company.

Asked where the original document

Asked where the original document of agreement was. Mr. Havemeyer said he did not know, and doubted its

existence now.

The American Sugar Refining Company of New Jersey, Mr. Havemeyer said, took the place in 1891 of the former so-called trust. It was done through purchase. The new company acquired all the property before held by the trust and no more, and was capitalized first at \$50,000,000. afterward increased to \$75,000,000 The greater part of the \$25,000,000 increase was used in the purchase of the Philadelphia property.

In answer to direct questions, Mr.

In answer to direct questions, Mr. Havemeyer denied categorically that his company controlled the sugar market in the United States; fixed the price of refined sugars; controlled the product of sugar or that it had an agreement with the Mollenhauser concern, the National or the St. Louis.

Senator Lexow called Mr. Haven

"T would not go into business," Mr.
Havemeyer said, "if I did not make
15 or 20 per cent. in it."
Senator Lexow quoted some figures
from a financial paper which showed
that in 1894-95-96, the surplus of stock
increased from \$9,000,000 to \$13,000,000.

"Are those figures correct?" asked
Senator Lexow.
"I cannot say. If you got them from

of-war to proceed at once to Crete. The announcement was followed by a scene of intense excitement and enturiasm. Minister of Marine Levidis ordered the vessel Salamanca to leave her dock at once. It is said that some torpedo boats have also been ordered to make ready for a possible trip to Crete.

to make ready for a possible trip to Crete.

The latest news from Canea is to the effect that foreign vessels are already engaged in the work of transporting refugees to the Grecian island of Milo. of Milo.

It is also announced that the foreign consuls were obliged to make their escape from Halesia to Canea by way of the sea.

KING GEORGE DID IT.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—A dispatch to the Times from Athens announces that the King of Greece is responsible for the Sing of Greece is responsible for the sudden change of policy regarding Crete. President of the Council, Th. Delyannis yesterday (Friday) an-nounced that inasmuch as the powers had undertaken to care for the reforms in the Turkish Empire, Greece would maintain a policy of "watchful non-in-tervention."

tervention."

To this declaration of policy the King the offered decided objections, taking the stand in opposition to Prime Ministe Delvannis, with the result that it was soon announced that the gunboat would be sent to Crete.

FIRING IN THE STREETS.

ish soldiers were wounded. Endeavors were made to establish military cor-dons around the Christian and Mussul-

COUNTY SALARIES CUT.

BAD NEWS FOR COURTHOUSE TAX-

Heads of Departments not Reduced, but Some Deputies Suffer—Cor-oner's Fees Lopped Off—Court Clerks Cat Down—The Sheriff's

IBY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.] SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—[Special Dispatch.] The Times can officially announce the salary schedule for Los Angeles county offices, which is to go into the new county government bill. ments remain as they are, and the

The Coroner gets \$3000, he to hire all deputies. In the County Clerk's office \$125 to \$100 each. Assistant District Attorney Williams will get \$175, as will Chief Deputy Holton. "Judge" Mc-Comas is slated for \$150. The delegation could not agree on what lump rum should be given the Assessor's office, and leaves the salary as it is. Deputy Sheriff Murrieta is raised to \$125, and the Sheriff's stenographer at \$75 is lopped off altogether. The Treasurer's and Tax Collector's offices re main untouched.

diately after the passage of the bill. The effect of the schedule will be a total saving of \$1680 in all the county

offices for the year.
Senators Simpson and Bulla, and Assemblymen Cross, Vosburg, Melick and Mead were present at the meeting, as were also Mr. Holton and Supervisor the delegation that beginning two years hence, salaries should be de-

Rich Ores Gunrded by Soldiers in the Wichita Mountains. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] KANSAS CITY (Mo.,) Feb. 5.,—A spe-tial to the Star from Gunrie; O. T., says a detachment of troops his suc-ceded in locating the miners at work in the Wichita Mountains and driven

Wichita Mountains and driven them out, and a part of them are now held under arrest at Fort Sill. William Cooley, an old California miner, said that before being molested, his party

CALLED SQUIRE A CUR.

ington Senatorial Scandal, [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.), Feb. 5.—In the Senate this morning Senator Taylor made a bitter speech in denunciation of the statement made by Senator Squire before the Senatorial investi-Squire before the Senatorial investigation committee, last evening that he
was one of the men whom Warner
claimed were in a combine that could
be handled with money in the Senatorial fight. Taylor referred to Squire
as a "cur" and demanded the appointment of a committee to investigate the
matter. The committee was appointed
and, at Taylor's request, was composed
of three Republicans, being of the opposite political faith.

Church Farm Case Decided.

DETROIT, Feb. 5. — The Evening
News learns that Mgr. Martinelli, the
papal ablegate at Washington, has received and transmitted to Bishop Foley of this didocese, and to Rev. Christion Dennisen, rector of St. Charles's
Church, Detroit, copies of the decision
of the Pope and the cardinals of the
propaganda in the celebrated "church
farm" case and that Father Dennisen
wins in every point which he contended.
The question at issue was whether the
title to the so-called "church farm," located in the eastern suburbs of Detroit,
is vested in Bishop Foley or in St.
Charles's Church. The cardinals of the
propaganda, at a meeting in Rome,
January 11. decided that the right to
the property was vested in Father Dennisen as rector of St. Charles's Church.

Moody's Birthday.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Dwight L. Moody, the famous evangelist; is observing his sixtieth birthday today and hundreds of his admirers in many places, not to mention his Boston friends, have united to make the occasion a memorable one. Friends of the distinguished lay preacher have collected \$30,000 with which will be erected a chapel for the use of the Mount Vernon school for boys, of which Mr. Moody is now the chief patron.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.-[Special Dispatch.] E. H. Knapp of Los Angeles the Astor; W. Galland is at the

MR. KENNEY SEATED.

DELAWARE NOW HAS TWO SEN-ATORS.

once More There is a Full Repre of Congress.

ARBITRATION TREATY ON DECK

SIDERATION.

Nicaragua Canal Bill to Be Abar Agreement Reached on the Immigration Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- The Senate today admitted Richard R. Kenney to the Delaware seat vacated many months ago by Mr. Higgins, and which has since then been/the subject of continuous controversy. This augmented the Democratic membership to forty, and for the first time raised the full membership to its proper quota of ninety. It effects no essential change in party strength, the division being: Republicans, including independents, 44: Democrats, 40; Populists, 6; total,

Kenney was withdrawn, Republican Senators conceding that his credentials from Gov. Tunnel, certifying that the regular Legislature had chosen him in

Mr.Chandler and Mr. Hoar expressed this view, and stated that Mr. Kenney's title would be attacked hereafter on the ground that his credentials, while prima facie correct, came from a Legislature fraudulently elected. Mr. Hoar made the further statement that the Dupont case could not be reopened, having once been passed upon by the Senate. The fact of this course is to

delaye J. E. Addicks as the contestant for the seat held by Mr. Genney.

The Nicaragua Canal debate proeeded without definite conclusion, Mr. Caffery of Louisiana speaking against

ARBITRATION TREATY. ARBITRATION TREE.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator
Sherman, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, has given
notice that he will ask the Senate to
notice that he will ask the Senate to notice that he will ask the Senate to go into executive session on Monday immediately after the disposal of the routine morning business, for the purpose of taking up the arbitration treaty. It is expected the motion will be antagonized by those who desire to have other measures considered. The motion will conflict directly with the Nicaragua Canal Bill, and with that measure out of the way, with the Bankruptcy, the Pacific Railroad Commission, and the Hawaiian Cable bills, the friends of each of these measures being very anxious to secure recognition.

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There is no general opposition to debating the treaty at this time, even
on the part of those who oppose its
ratification on its own account, but
even some of those who are disposed
to support it are inclined to waver
because it will, if taken up, displace
other measures in which they are interested.

years hence, salaries should be decreased \$600 a year. The delegation was in favor of making the decrease begin at once, but it was found that the law as it stands at present in the county, prohibits it.

The maximum allowance of the County Superintendent of Schools, for visiting schools, is cut down from \$10 to \$5.

MINERS DRIVEN OUT.

Rich Ores Guarded by Soldiers in the Wichita Mountains.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE]

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IMMIGRATION BILL. MMHIGRATION BILLS.
WAHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The conferces
on the Immigration Bill which was yesterday recommitted to them, reached
a second agreement today. The requirements in the first report that ima second agreement today. The requirements in the first report that immigrants shall read "the English language or the language of their native or resident country," is changed so as to require them only to read "the English language or some other language." This section was also amended so as to admit the illiterate wives and minor children of immigrants who are otherwise qualified and capable. Section 9, which authorizeds immigration officers to take into custody immigrants who obtain admission to the country by fraud or deception, was stricken out to meet the objection that it contained matter which had not been acted "upon" by either house of Congress.

Senator Lodge, manager of the bill

gress.

Senator Lodge, manager of the bill on the part of the Senate, says he thinks it will now pass without any serious opposition, as changes have been made to meet most of the material abjections. Senator Hill, who was one of the critics of the priginal report, says that he will never support it.

NICARAGUA CANAL BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb 5—Senator AM.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator Aldrich and other friends of the Nicaragua bill, had conferences with Speaker Reed and other House leaders Speaker Reed and other House leaders during the day regarding the possibility of the bill being brought up in the House in case it should pass the Senate. The result is that the bill will be abandoned in the Senate next Monday and the Bankruptcy Bill brought

day and the Bankruptcy Bill brought forward.

The friends of the Nicaragua bill, while in a majority, doubt if the Senate can be brought to a a veite, but they know the futility of their efforts unless there is some assurance that the bill will receive consideration in the House. Nothing but a physical test would bring the bill to a vote now, and a large number of those supporting the bill will not subject it to such a test when it will not even be taken up in the House. The conference today convinced the Senators that the Nicaragua bill will not receive consideration it the House, and they decided that it was better to withdraw it.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—SENATE.— The Allen resolution questioning the right of the Executive to foreclose on the Pacific railroads, was taken up in the Senate today. Mr. Thurston of Nebraska continued his speech in

At 2 o'clock the Nicaragua Canal Bill displaced the Pacific railroads resolution. Allen of Nebraska and

The latter, although favoring an state isthmian canal, opposed the plan of lease

this bill, saying it would result in the reckless waste of \$100,000,000.

The Canal Bill was laid aside to allow the Senate to take up bills on the calendar.

About fifty pension bills were passed. The House bill granting the Hudson Reservoir Company of Arizona a right-of-way through the Gila River Indian reservation was passed.

At 6:06 o'clock the Senate adjourned. HOUSE.—This was private bill day in the House. and the entire day was spent in clearing the calendar of the unfinished business reported from the Friday night sessions. Out of sixty-three bills fifty-nine were passed. Among those passed were the following: To pension the widow of Maj. Gen. Erastus B. Tyler at the rate of \$50 per month; to increase the pension of Maj.-Gen. Julius Stahl to \$50; Frances P. Trumbell, the widow of Col. Mathew Trumbell of the Ninth Iowa Cavalry, \$50 and the widow of Gen. George H. Stoneman at the rate of \$30 per month (the Senate fixed the rate in this bill at \$75:) Hans Johnson, Iowa, \$50; Mary E. Ely, widow of the late Lieut.-Col. Ely, Michigan, \$30; Elizabeth L. Larabee, widow of Col. C. H. Larabee, Wisconsin, \$30; Laura C. Dodge, Widow of Capt. F. L. Dodge, U.S.A., \$30, and Mary A. Payne, widow of Capt. J. Scott Payne, Fifth United States Cavalry, \$33.

A bills to pension George L. Benner, a teamster in the employ of the quartermasters' department, created a conflict. Mr. Terry of Arkansas (Dem.,) protested vigorously against pension.

A teamster in the employ of the quartermasters' department, created a conflict. Mr. Terry of Arkansas (Dem.,) protested vigorously against pensioning a civil employé of the government because he happened to be "jammed against a tree by an obstreperous mule." He declared that the pension roll should be a roll of honor. The bill was voted down.

The House then, at 3:40 p.m. took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to the consideration of private pension bills.

At the evening session a resolution by Mr. Loudenslager was adopted providing that unless the author of a bill was present when it was reached, it should be passed over without prefudice. Twenty-two private pension bills were reported with a favorable recommendation.

POSTAL CONGRESS.

What It Will Cost Uncle Sam to En-

tertain the Delegates.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In a letter
the Secretary of the Treasury, which has been transmitted to Con which has been transmitted to Con-gress, Postmaster-General Wilson rec-ommends an appropriation of \$200,000 to cover the expenses of the Congress of Nations composing the Postal Union, which will gather in this city next May which will gather in this city next May and be in session six weeks or two months. Mr. Wilson says that he has no way of itemizing the cost of the congress, but thinks that \$200,000 might cover the expenses. He says that distinguished representatives of foreign nations, including the Postmasters-General of those nations, will be present and that he considers it the duty of this country to provide for the congress in suitable style. He mentions the fact that at other sessions of the congress the delegates have been entertained by the rulers of the country, and that nothing which could be done for the delegates heretofore has been left undone.

NEW TARIFF BILL.

McKinley Rates in the Wood Sched-

ule Restored.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The R ican members of the Ways and Means Committee devoted their attention to-day to the schedule of wood and manu-factures of wood, and decided to restore the McKinley rates, practically in full, with the important exception of white

In response to the general demand of the representatives of the lumber interests, who complained that the can market for white pine, this wood was raised to its old rate in the act of The manufactures of pine clapboards and shingles are raised correspondingly so that all forms of pine will pay the

and shingles are raised correspondingly so that all forms of pine will pay the same duty as spruce.

Pine was dutlable at \$2 under the law of 1883, but when the McKinley Bill was framed, the rate was reduced to \$1, so that in the new bill it will pay twice the rates of the McKinley act.

The Wilson act placed lumber and nearly all forms of wood on the free list. Under the revised McKinley schedule, timber, squared or sided, will pay ½ cent a cubic foot; sawed boards, planks and other lumber of hemlock, white wood, sycamore and bass wood, \$1 per 1000 feet, board measure, and other sawed lumber \$2 per 1000 feet. Lumber, planed or finished, will pay 50 cents more per 1000 feet when tongued and grooved.

Celdar posts telegraph and telephone

and grooved.

Celdar posts telegraph and telephone poles paid 20 per cent. ad valorem under the McKinley law, sawed boards and planks and all forms of sawed cedar, ebony, mahogany and other cabinet woods not further manufactured than sawed, paid 20 per cent. ad valorem: casks, barrels, empty barrels, 30 per cent., and furniture, 35 per cent.

HIMSELF TO BLAME.

Vice-Consul-General Kellet Got No More Than He Deserved.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
WAHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Full details

received at the State Department of the alleged attack upon United States Vice-Consul-General Kellet in Siam make it clear that the affair has been grossly exaggerated in the first accounts. servant of the Consul was arrested for a violation of municipal regulations, and Mr. Kellet, going to the station house, undertook to carry the man off with him without any formalities. In an ensuing scuffle with the Siamese soldiers who act as police, the Viceconsul-General received a blow not at all serious in character. It is realized that the officials made a mistake in not appealing to the local commissioner in behalf of his servant instead of at-temoting to interfere with due process of law, and it is believed that the mat-ter will be satisfactorily adjusted. Certer will be satisfactorily adjusted. Cer tainly no serious trouble is expected.

CLEVELAND CANED. Venesuelans Show Their Apprecia tion of His Services

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Señor Andrade, accompanied by Secretary Olney, called on President Cleveland to-

day, bearing a testimonial from the Governor and the people of the State of Zulia, Venezuela, in recognition of the good offices of the President and Secretary Olney in the matter of the boundary dispute. The testimonial consisted of a rosette composed of 172 samples of rare woods from the forests of Zulia, and a cane made of 125 pieces of the roots.

Troener Released.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. Neill, charge d'affaires of the United States Legation at Lima, Peru, has cabled the State Department that S. G. Troenor, mate of the American bark Uncle John of San Francisco, has been released. Troenor was arrested in Lima the latter part of September, as the result of a street row, and failed to secure a trial. For this reason, the State Department demanded his re-State Department demanded his

REFORMS FOR CUBA.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE FULL SCHEME.

What Spain Proposes to Do in View

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In Case of Secession Movements Sh May Use Despotic Power - Re-forms to Be Applied When

IBY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.1 MADRID, Feb. 5.—The official sette will print tomorrow the ette will print tomorrow the full oheme of Cuban reforms, as approved by the Queen Regent in a formal decree. The following is a full extract of the decree proper without the pre-amble, article by article:

Article I. The laws of March 15, 1895, will be a statistic or a

will be amplified in accordance with the following rules, which will be de-

veloped in bylaws: Rule 1. The municipalities and as-semblies of the six provinces of the island of Cuba (Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas, Santa Clara, Puerto Principe and Santiago de Cuba) will Principe and Santiago de Cuba) will enjoy all the liberties compatible with the laws and the respect of individual rights. The Assemblies will have the right to elect their presidents.

In each assembly there will be an Executive Committee elected by the assembly every six months and its president will be elected by said committee.

The mayors and deputy mayors will be elected by the municipalities from amongst the members. They will exercise without limitation, the active functions of the municipal administration, as executors of the decisions of the municipalities.

The provincial assemblies will have the right to suspend the decision of the municipalities when they go beyond the limits of the municipal rights, but in this case, the municipalities will

the municipalities when they go beyond the limits of the municipal rights, but in this case, the municipal rights, but in this case, the municipalities will have the right to appeal to the highest court of the province.

The provincial assemblies will have large powers in matters of taxes. In accordance with the seneral and local system of taxation. The appropriations for the provinces and municipalities will be separately made.

The organization of establishments of public instructions in the provinces will correspond to the provinces will correspond to the provisional assemblies, and in the towns and cities to the municipalities. The governor-general and the civil governors of the provinces will only have right of ingrevention in matters of public instruction to assure the fulfillment of the general laws and the compatibility of the municipal and provisional appropriations with the expenses of those establishments.

Rule 2—The council of administration.

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Rule 2—The council of administration of the island will be composed of thirty-five councillors; twenty-one of them will be elected directly by the people, with the same conditions and census as elects the provisional assemblies and municipalities, according to the rule established the vice till the level. vana; the president of the Chamber of Commerce of Havana; the president of the economical societies of the friends of the country of Havana; the president of the Planters' Association; the presi-dent of the Tobacco Manufacturers' chapters of the cathedrals of Havana and Santiago de Cuba; one representing all the trades assemblies of Havana; two designated among the taxpayers of the province of Havana. The other five will be Senators or representatives to the Cortes who have been elected by the Island of Cuba in a greater number of general elections. The governor-general will be honorary president of the council and the actual president will be nominated by the governor-general from among the members of the council.

The members of the Cortes, during their term, cannot be councillors of administration.

In order to be elected councillor, it In order to be elected councilor, it is necessary to have the same qualifications as are required to be deputy to the Cortes, and it is necessary to have resided two years in the island.

The appointment of the officers and clerks of the council will be vested ex-

clusively in said council. The council will elect, every six months, commit-tees, each of them composed of five members, for the transaction of busmembers, for the transaction of buiness and the drafting of resolutions. Rule 3—The Cortes will determine the mount of expenses sovereignty (imamount of expenses sovereignty (imperial expenses,) and will determine the total of the budget. To meet that amount the council of administration will accord, every year, the taxes and revenues necessary to supply the expenses approved by the Cortes. Only in the case of the council of administration not having approved and voted by the first of July, the taxes and revenues necessary to meet the budget approved by the Cortes, the governorgeneral will decree them, with advice of the intendente.

The council of administration will frame and approve the local budget, and the resources for the expenses. Educational institutions to qualify for governmental positions, excepting for those of army and navy, will correspond in organization to the council of administration.

Rule 4—The attributes to the council

Rule 4-The attributes to the council of administration as regards the cus-toms tariff will be as follows: First—It will fix all rules for the

convenient regarding taxes on exports.

Third—It will fix or modify the fiscal duties for revenue on importations in Fourth—It is to be heard in an advisory manner regarding the rules, classification and schedule of cuties. The rights will have the following limitations:

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First—National products directly imported to Cuba will enjoy indispensible protection taking into consideration that the taxes on foreign products will be for revenue established by the council of administration will be applied aike to foreign and to national products.

Third—Taxes on exports will be equally levied and will not be differential; but it will be impossible to except from these rules the direct exports to Spain for home consumption. Fourth—No prohibition on exports will be imposed upon products directly exported for home consumption in Spain.

The custom tariff will have the fol-

The taxes will not exceed 20 per cent. the value of the articles.

The government will decree a revision of the official valuation of merchandise, after haring all these interested pro and con.

The immediate realization of all the conditions established in these rules being impossible, the Minister of the Colonies, in accordance with the law of June 28, 1895, will publish a provisional tariq on these lines, in order to avoid delay in the reform of the tariff laws.

The commercial treaties or conventions affecting the tariff in Cuba will be special. In order to establish reciprocity, there will not be in them the most favored nation clauses or its equivalent. The council of administration will be consulted over the advisability of negotiating commercial treaties and conventions, which it is the intention of the government to the powern of the government of the Cortes.

Rule 5 refers to the powers of the government and in the offices of the general government and in the offices of the civil governors of the provinces.

Rule 6 refers to the secretarial of the general government; to the powers of the intendiente (head of the treasury, comptroller director of local administration and names the clerks in their offices.

Rule 7 refers to the appointment of severnmental employés by the governmental employés by the governmental employés by the government to committee on Trusts to order today there were present upon subpoenaes to Cuban or

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Rule 7 refers to the appointment of governmental employes by the governor-general who must be Cuban or peninsulars, who have resided at least two years in the island. These appointments will be made with the advice and consent of the council of administration and with regard to the legal and proper qualifications of the nominee. From this rule are only excepted the secretary-general, intendiente, comptroller, director of local administration, director of postal and telegraph service and the civil governors of the six provinces.

The governor-general will be authorized to name delegates in the municipalities and to exercise executive functions, but in no case will be be allowed to interfere with the proper functions of the mayors of the municipalities.

Rule 8 refers to the members of the judiciary, who will be only appointed among Cuban born or persons having resided two years in the island. The municipalities judges (justices of the peace) will be appointed by election by members of the municipalities, supplemented by a number of electors chosen by the people. flices. Rule 7 refers to the appointment of

Rule 9. The council of administration will respect the actual pending contracts, and at the expiration of the same will have the right to accept or repeal them. The council will also have the power of enforcing in the island the treasury laws from the peninsula and of entering into a contract with the Bank of Cuba.

A special decree which will be submitted to the Cortes will contain the rules for the maintenance of public order and the suppression of secesionist movements.

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Article II. The government will embody in a single decree the present rules and those of the laws of May 15.

1895. developing both in bylaws which shall not change the strict sense of the

shall not change the strict sense of the present decree.

Art. III disposes that the above mentioned rules will apply also to Puerto Rico.

Art. IV. The date for the application to Cuba of the law of 1895 and the present decree to Cuba and Puerto Rico will be fixed by the government as soon as the state of the war will permit it.

AMERICAN PRISONERS. Americans Arrested in Cuba Giver

Their Liberty.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—A copyrighted cablegram to the World tells of the arrest at Guanabacoa, Cuba, of Henry K. Sheridan, an American tourist. He was held over night and released before his

promised, at the general's request, to liberate Señora Edan and Dr. Caspar Betancourt (who has been acquitted of the charges brought against him) within a few days.

HAVANA, Feb. 5.—Eva Edan, one of the American ladies arrested here, charged with conspiracy, was released tonight.

Passenger Train Derailed. Passenger Train Derailed.

HAVANA, Feb. 5.—A passenger train from Matanzas was accidentally derailed yesterday between Colon and Garreiras. An iron-clad guard car, a baggage car and a third-class passenger car were capsized; the commander of the escort and four soldiers were wounded, one soldier was mutilated and the engineer, fireman and the crew of the train and a man selling papers were killed.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES. The House Committee on Commerce has de-cided to favorably report a bill for the estab-lishment of a quarantine station at Astoria,

nator McMillan has introduced a bill, by est, declaring the "Star Spangled Ban-to be the national song of he United

At San José, William Ludwig, who was convicted of criminal assault upon Miss Antonia Gianacca, was sentenced to Folsom for fifteen years.

Frederick Taylor, a well-known banker, at one time president of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern Railway Company, is dead, aged 61.

At Sacramento the six-year-old son of G.

dead, aged 61.

At Sacramento the six-year-old son of C Bartoni, a railroad employé, was drowne while playing on a wharf at the river front. The body was not recovered.

The House Committee on Elections has decided the Hopkins-Kendall election contest from the Teuth Kentucky District in favor of the sitting member, who is a Democrat. Charles Radbourne, the noted baseball-player, many years pitcher of the Boston and Provdence National League clubs, died at Bloomington, ill., yesterday, of paresis, aged 47.

Wong Ching Front.

Aged 47.

Wong Ching Foo, the noted editor of the Chicago Chinese Daily News and president of the League of Americanized Chinamen, has been held to the Criminal Court on the charge of keeping a gambling house.

At Salinas, Cal. the Grand Lodge of Diana decided to hold its next seasion in San Francisco and elected the following officers: Keeldeson of Fresno, grand president; J. Peterson of San Francisco, grand secretary: C. M. Beek of San Francisco, grand reasurer: C. H. Duborg of Reno, grand marshal; P. Rasmussen, Salinas, grand marshal;

Joint Murdered.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] LEWISTON (Idaho,) Feb. 5.—The 1 hn Levi, a noted Nez Perce Indian, was und lying in the muddy road today. He had found lying in the muddy road today. He had been in this city until a late hour and was returning to Lapwai, when he was waylaid and shot by some unknown assassin. Levi was proprietor of "Levi's Hell," an Indian gambling resort, and was accused of buncoing and robbing the redmen who visited his house. He was recently principal in an attempted hold-up, in which one Jones, an Indian enemy, was badly wounded with a knife in the hands of Levi. It is also rumored that some threats were made after the cutting affray occurred. These facts lead to the belief that the murder was committed by Indians, and Jones is suspected by the offices. Levi was under a bond of \$1000 to appear before Commissioner Poe on a charge of highway robbery today.

CANTON (O.,) Feb. 5.—"I have no object in concealing it. I have been offered and have accepted the position of private secretary to President Mc-Kinley." J. Addison Porter of Hartford, said this to the Associated Press representative today.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—When Chairman Lexow called the joint Executive Committee on Trusts to order today there were present upon subpoenaes to testify, H. O. and Theodore Havemeyer, besides a number of men prominent in mercantile pursuits, and several lawyers whose clients' interests it was sun posed might be affected by the investi-

A letter was read from C. B. Richards & Co., steamship agents, this city, calling attention to the alleged city, calling attention to the alleged existence of a pool by transatlantic steamship companies and requesting an investigation into its methods. Theodore Havemeyer, vice-president of the American Sugar Refining Com-

pany, was then sworn. He explained that prior to 1891 he was connected with eight sugar-refining companies now operating as the American. Have-meyer said he had nothing to do with meyer said he had nothing to do with the commercial or fiscal side of the business. He could not give the capitalization of the various companies absorbed in 1891 without reference to the books. That was a matter upon which Mr. Searles would probably be able to inform the committee.

The question was then put to witness, "Do you (meaning the American Sugar Refining Company) transact any business save sugar refining?"

"I think not."

"Have you not recently been led into the manufacture of coffee?"

"Yes, sir, I am connected with a coffee company in Ohio."

"What was the object of your con-

ment with the Mollenhauser copcern, the National or the St. Louis.

Senator Lexow called Mr. Havemeyer's attention to the fact that he had testified in 1834 before the United States Senate committee, that the company controlled the sugar market up to the importing point.

"That was true at that time," replied Mr. Havemeyer. "Competition has changed since then."

"Do you ship sugar west of the Missouri, in competition with Mr. Speckels?" asked Senator Lexow.

"No."

"Did you enter into an agreement with Spreckels not to compete with him west of the Missouri?"

"Certainly not. Competition with him there is not possible. It is purely a question of geography. Where the sugar would cost us 1½ cents there, it costs him half a cent."

Senator Lexow wanted to know about the Arbuckle Brothers' relations with the American Sugar Refining Company.

"They never competed with us," he said. "They are wholesale grocers, and handled our products. We took back their empty barrels and Mollenhauser offered them 22 cents, so they shifted their trade from us."

"Why did you organize a coffee company within a day or two? You think the coffee business as alluring as you do the sugar business?"

"Yes; I propose to carry on the coffee business sand that is—I state it here in open court-without fear of-contradiction—to the advantage of the contradiction—to the advantage of the

res, sir, 1 am connected with a corfee company in Ohio."
"What was the object of your consolidation in 1891?"
"To refine sugar."
"Was not your company organized, Mr. Havemeyer, to control the refining and sale of sugar in the United States?" States?"
"I think not, sir."
"Do you not control the sugar market of the United States,"

"No, sir."
Was your company not organized for the purpose of preventing illegal combinations of labor?"

"No, sir."
"Have you not increased the capital tock of the company since 1891?"

"Yes, sir."
"Now to what extent?"
"I should say \$25,000,000."
"How many sugar companies outside of yours are there in the United

of yours are there in the United States."

"I should say about eight."

Witness then enumerated the names of the companies. In reply to another question Havemeyer said the American Sugar 'Refining Company produced 73 to 75 per cent. of the sugar manufactured in the United States.

"Why was the stock increased?"

"To purchase other companies—the Franklin, Knight, Spreckels and Delaware sugar-refining companies of Philadelphia."

"Is it not a fact that the price of sugar has increased owing to the acquiring influence of your company?"

"No, sir. I think the price of sugar now is lower than it was then."

"Who fixes prices at board meetings?"

"My brother." responded the witness.

ings?"
"My brother," responded the witness.
Reverting to the recent advent of
the sugar company in the coffee trade,
the chairman of the committee asked:
"Why did you go into the coffee busi-"I thought it was a pretty good busi-

ness."
"Are you willing to swear that the officers of the coffee company are not organized for the purpose of shutting out competition for the American Sugar Refinery?"
"They are not, sir," the witness said slowly.
"Why do you fiesitate to enswer?"

"Your questions are so long that I must take time to follow the drift of your questions."
Witness said that part of the cry
about competition in the sugar market
was newspaper talk, but admitted defending a suit in Ohio brought about
through the activity of competition
there.
"When did you purchase the Woolson stock in Ohio?"
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to speak for the Havemeyers, or the American Sugar Refining Company, if he did speak. Mr. Palmer is at the head of our company's operating de-partment. He is not a director of the company." "When did you purchase the woolson stock in Ohio?"

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The preferred stock of the company was \$37,000,000. A dividend of 7 per cent. was declared on the common stock. In addition

Naval Apprentices.

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see business just as we have the sugar business, and that is—I state it here in open court without fear of contradiction—to the advantage of the consumer. The margin between the raw and refined sugar now is three-quarters of a cent. Concentration of large business under one management with its consequent economy, allows us to put sugar on the market at a less price than separate concerns could afford to do. Green coffee declined 6 cents in 1896, but Arbuckle has lowered the price of the unfinished product only 3 cents, thus taking 3 cents a pound more than his legitimate profit, out of the consumer.

Mr. Arbuckle testified that after he had determined to build a sugar refinery, a director of the American Refining Company, in speaking to him about it, said: "How would you like to go into the coffee business?"

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fining Company, in speaking to him about it, said: "How would you like to go into the coffee business?"
"I felt." said Mr. Arbuckle, "that it was an implied threat."

James N. Harvie was called. He said: "Lowell M. Palmer of the American Sugar Refining Company came to me and said: "If you start refining sugar we will go into the coffee business, and the Havemeyers have more millions than the Arbuckles."

Mr. Havemeyer arose and said:

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BUTLER WEAKENING:

DETECTIVES THINK HE WILL MAKE A CONFESSION.

H Says Two Others are Implicated in the Murder of Capt. Lee Weller.

WOULD BE QUEEN'S EVIDENCE.

WELLER'S EFFECTS FORCED UPON HIM BY OTHERS.

He Will Help the Police to Capture the Real Murderers if They Will Give Him a Chance—Coast Notes.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—That Murderer Frank Butler, alias Richard Ashe, had no claim to the title of Lee Weller, was shown when Edwin Elliott, an intimate friend of Weller, entered the city prison and said that Butler bore not the slightest resemblance to the dead captain. Elliott is engineer of the Australian steamer Monowai. Capt. Petrie of the ship Olivebank, also visited the prison this afternoon, identifying Butler as Richard Ashe, who had shipped with him as an able-bodied seaman in 1893. The Australian detectives now in the city to take Butler back for trial, were jubliant today over an alleged confession made by Butler to Detective Conroy. This on investigation, however, proved to be nothing more than a suggestion of a possible future confession. Butler said to Conroy that at least two men besides himself had intimate knowledge of Weller's movements and mysterious death. He said that although he was really innocent, these two murderers had forced him to accept part of the dead Weller's belongings, afterwards found among Butler's effects. Butler told Conroy that if the police would aid him to capture the two alleged murderers of Weller, would turn Queen's evidence against them when the case came to trial. The police are confident that Butler will make important disclosures in a few days, believing that he is weakening under confinement, when confronted with a new wardrobe, and now presents a very different appearance in new clothes of city cut from the figure he presented in sailor garb. He is getting polite to everybody, and refuses many presents offered to him by scores of visitors who come to look at him through the prison bars.

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The authorities believe, if everything mooyes smoothly, that Butler can be started on his Australian trip in chare of police within two weeks. Butler says he will not fight for delay. He says he is getting his evidence together slowly, and that when he reaches Australia he will place in the hands of his attorneys sufficient proof of his innocence. The Australian detectives say Butler is already weakening, and that he would not have refused to go to Australia today on the Monowal were it not that his attorneys here urged him to show fight. The Australiam detectives says Butler's attorneys here are working for Butler's attorneys here are working for Butler's rationeys here are working for Butler's rationeys here are working for Butler's attorneys here are working for Butler's rationeys here are working for the San Francisco courts the more notoriety they will achieve.

As evidence that Butler is weakening under the strain, the Australian detectives cite the fact that to Detective Conroy Butler today said he would clear up Weller's death and name the real murderers, if the police in Australia would allow him to turn Queen's evidence and escape punishment. He intimated to Confoy that two othermen were concerned in Weller's murder and that he timself was not directly connected with the murder. Butler say these two mysterious murderers, whose identity he does not disclose, forced him to taki Weller's belongings found here in its possession. This statement differs from Butler's former statement differs from Butler's former statement differs from Butler's former statement differs fro

MUST DISGORGE.

A Deathbed Bequest is Void if the

Patien Recovers.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Mary
raig must return to her brother, Robert Bright, all he money and real estate he transferred to her when he believed he was on his deathbed. Judge Hebbard rendered a decision to that

On January 7 1895, Bright assigned to his sister a lank book that showed that he had \$6,987 on deposit, and that he had \$6,987 on deposit, and also executed eeds conveying to her several valuable pieces of real estate. He did this beause he was very ill and believed that he was dying, and he was anxiou to prevent attorneys from handling his property after his death. A few nonths later Bright began to rally, and he then concluded that his time b die had not come, and that he would like to enjoy the possession of his property for a while longer.

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But Mrs. Crag objected to being deprived of her realth, and when he demanded the riturn of the bank book
and the cancelation of the deeds, she
declined to emply with his wishes.
He accordingly brought suit to recover
his property, illeging that it had been
conveyed to he sister upon the distinct
understanding that it would be returned should he regain his health.
Mrs. Craig resisted the suit on the
ground that is gift was absolute and
could not be revoked. Judge Hebbard
decided othervise. He held that the law
provided that gifts made in view of provided that gifts made in view of death could be revoked at any time. He decreed hat Bright was entitled to recover his bank account and that the deeds should be cancelled, but that the defendant was entitled to \$2000 she expended in axes, repairs, etc.

A MNE SCANDAL.

Suit Brough to Compel Transfer of Valuable Property. [BY ASSCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The Chronicle says there is a great big scandal back of the suit filed a few great big scandal back of the suit filed a few days ago by S. Weber Parker against A. H. Rapp, C. E. Shafter and A. C. Morrison. This action is to compel Rapp to conset a group of five mines in Tuolumne county to the plaintiff; to declare that the other defendants have no title in the property and for size of the mine at \$15,000 of amiges. Rapp is alleged to be the real ewher of the property. By him a bond was given to Parker for the sale of the mine at \$15,000 vas us be paid February I. Another agreement to sell, this time at \$250,00 was used to be paid february in whose nane is the title to A. C. Morrison. Pirker offered the investment to a Lodon syndicate for \$200.

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The first installment of \$15,000 was cabled to San Francisco, where Parker's representative was to close the deal. At this point, it is alleged, Rapp showed a disinclination to act up to the terms of the bond given by him to Parker.

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On Monday, when the local repre-sentative of the purchasers took \$15,-000 to Rapp's office, the latter was not there to receive it. Suit was filed the next day, but thus far it has been impossible to serve the papers on Rapp.

STORM SIGNALS.

Heavy Rainfall All Over the Pacific

Heavy Rainfall All Over the Pacific Coast.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The United States Weather Bureau reports that rain has fallen all over the Pacific Coast, and more is predicted for tomorrow. The continued heavy rainfall over the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys has caused a rapid rise in the rivers. A still further rise may be looked for tonight and Saturday. The following reports were received at 5 p.m. tonight: Stockton, 10.5 feet, a rise of 2.6 feet since last night, and still rising; Red Bluff, 20 feet. a rise of 2.5 feet; Colusa, 25.9 feet, a rise of 2.4 feet; Folsom, 22 feet, a rise of 2.4 feet; Folsom, 22 feet, a rise of 1.4 feet; Waterford, 6.5 feet; San Joaquin bridge, 15.1 feet. Tonight the wind is blowing thirtye-two miles an hour at San Francisco, and southwest storm signals are displayed.

NO DANGER AT SACRAMENTO.

NO DANGER AT SACRAMENTO. SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—The river SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—The river has risen a little here since yesterday; and is this evening a few inches over twenty-two fect. It is not within ten or twelve feet of the bank, and is considered quite low after such a long storm. The so-called janger point of twenty-five feet referred to by Forecaster McAdle propably refers to some place or places up country where there is little or no levee.

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AN OVERFLOW AT NAPA. AN OVERFLOW AT NAFA.

NAPA, Feb. 5.—The Napa River is running bank full as the result of the heavy rains. It is not out of bounds in town, but several farms north of the city are covered with water. There has been no damage to speak of.

A Young Englishman in Jail at Red-

A Young Englishman in Jail at Redwood City.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

REDWOOD CITY, Feb. 5.—A young Englishman, named Fidel, is in jail here charged with attempting to murder his young wife. The cople resided at Milbrae, a small town near here. The wife was taken violently ill today and it was discovered that she was suffering from poison. Two physicians were summoned and after working on her for some time, got her out of danger. The poison is supposed to have been administered by her husband and he was arrested and brought to this place. It is supposed that he was jealous of his wife and took this means of getting rid of her.

SACRAMENTO SCANDAL. Coroner Clark Said to Have Pur-

chased His Position.
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—The Bee SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—The Bee this evening will publish a sensational story from the lips of Supervisor William Curtis. He declared, just after the Board of Supervisors adjourned last evening, that Coroner George H. Clark had admitted to him that he paid Supervisors \$1500 for his appointment to the position of Coroner two years ago, and that he was also compelled to give money again last month for the place. Coroner Clark emphatically denies that he ever told the Supervisor anything of the kind. Curtis insists that he did.

AN ELOPING COUPLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith" Come to Cali-

formin to Reside.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—A couple who came from Honolulu today as Mr. and Mrs. Smith, prove to be a noto-rious eloping couple from Philadelphia. They are Mrs. C. C. Pinckney Norris and Cavalier Smith, prominent society people, each of whom deserted a family six weeks ago to elope. They are said to have nearly \$100,000 between them. Smith says they will spend the summer in California.

DREW A BLACK BALL

A Member of a Suicide Club Fulfils
His Obligations.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Bill Winkle, once Chief of Police of Marshwilkle, once Chief or Police of Marsh-ville, latterly a water-front employé, joined a local suicide club and lately drew a black ball which bound him to commit suicide within three months. He killed himself last riight by asphix-iation.

A Powder Combine.

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SAN FRANCISCO, February 5.—An agreement went into effect at midnight tonight by which the California, Giant and Judson Powder companies bound themselves not to contract for future sales of their products, or to sell in a larger quantity than one carload, in what is designated in the trade as the "positive" territory. This includes Alaska, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, California and Arizona. A similar agreement as to the "neutral" territory—Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming and Montana—which has been in operation for thirty days, expired on Thursday, but was extended. The object is to obtain further time for the pooling negotiations without exposing the three companies to further loss from cutting.

A Youthful Suicide.

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OAKLAND, Feb. 5.—Willie Cook, the ten-yera-old son of Rev. W. H. Cook, pastor of Watts Congregational Church, tried to commit suicide by taking chloroform today. He told his father the world did not need him and he would be as well dead. DESTITUTION IN LOUISIANA.

Thirty Thousand People on the

Thirty Thousand People on the Verge of Starvation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PIESS WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.,) Feb. 5.—A special to the Republic from Shreveport, La., says: Thirty thousand people in the State are practically starving to death. A relief committee which has inspected the stricken parishes near Shreveport says this number of people will have to be sustained during the unfruitful season. The State has already expended \$85,000 for corn and provisions for the sufferers, and calls for funds. A meeting was held in Shreveport today under the call of the Board of Trade and \$5000 was subscribed.

PUT HIM OUT.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.) special orders for next Wednesday

arious Bills Acted Upon Yesterday

COMMITTEE WORK.

recommended to the Committee on Mines and Mining, with the request that a substitute be made.

Shanahan's bill amending the civil code relating to the redemption of property sold on execution, was passed. Sims's bill providing for the appointment of an auditing board to the Commissioner of Public Works, to purchase a dredger and tools, to improve and rectify channels, and appropriating \$300,000, was the special order. The House resolved itself into committee of the whole and this bill was amended by striking out the clause making the Governor an ex-officio member.

Just prior to recess, Melick introduced the following constitutional amendment relating to libel:

"Section 9. Every citizen may freely speak, write, and publish his sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of that right, and no law shall be passed to restrain or abridge the liberty of speech or of the press. (No speech or publication reflecting upon, or concerning any court, or any officer thereof, shall be treated or punished as contempt of court unless made in the immediate presence of such court while in session, and in such a manner as to actually interfere with its proceedings.)

"In all criminal prosecutions for libels, the truth may be given in evidence to the jury, and if it shall appear to the jury that the matter charged as libelous is true, and was published with good motives, and for justifiable ends, the party shall be acquitted, and the jury shall have the right to determine the law and the facts. Indictments found, or information laid, for publications in newspapers, shall be tried in the county where such newspapers have their publication office, or in the county where the party alleged to be libeled resided at the time of the alleged publication, unless the place of trial shall be changed for good cause."

After recess the University Bill was read a second time and ordered to third reading: Authorizing cities and towns to grant franchises for the construction and maintenance of railroads beyond the limits of such

watchmen, one gatekeeper and two ushers.

The following bills were passed: By Kenyon, providing for a system of street improvement bonds; to protect stockholders in mining companies; Lindenberger, relating to estrays; Melick, to establish fees of county officers; Malcolm, defining the duties and liabilities of employment agents.

Dibble withdrew the bill authorizing the appointment of a Japanese interpreter for the San Francisco courts.

The committee of seven made their report on the investigation of the temporary roll.

Committee and one other Senator. The duties of the committee shall be to visit all institutions in the State which will seek appropriations, within fifty days prior to the convening of the thirty-third session, and report to the next Legislature the needs of such institutions.

Valentine antroduced a bill extending the power of the bank commissioners over insolvent banks or banking institutions that are deemed unsafe. When the commission shall find that the practices pursued by a bank are unsafe. It will have the power to order the discontinuance of such practices, and if the order is not compiled with, the bank's affairs can be taken into court to determine the insolvency of the institution. If its affairs are, found to be unsound, then a meeting of creditors must be called.

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Senator Smith. Let me ask whether your plant is so separated from your other works that it could be sold to the government.

Mr. Schwab. It could be. It is so divided; it is so situated.

Mr. Schwab said that the Navy Department estimate was about 22½ percent. too low on original material. The cost of fuel, heating, forging, bending and Harveyizing was estimated at only about 35 per cent. of the actual cost and the cost of labor about 40 per cent.

Mr. Frick, in his letter, said the original cost of the Carnegle armor plant was over \$4,000,000, and he advanced the idea that the government could not duplicate it for less than \$5,000,000.

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could not duplicate it for less than \$5,000,000.

President Linderman of the Bethlehem works, took exception to Secretary Herbert's estimate of the profits of the company. He declared that their armor plant, instead of costing \$3,500,000, as estimated by the department, had not cost less than \$6,551,000.

He said that for the period from 1889 to 1896, both inclusive, the gross recepts of the company were \$46,000,000, of which only \$6,780,000 was from armor, and added that the dividends of the company never exceeded 12 per cent. Secretary Herbert's report was sharply attacked by both Mr. Sharp and Mr. Linderman and the Secretarywas given an opportunity to reply. He said the method of estimates adopted was his own. He complained that both companies had refused to exhibit their books.

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books.

The Secretary said that in his opinion the government could duplicate either the Bethlehem or the Carnegie armor plant for \$2,000,000, and he recommended that Congress appropriate the amount to be set aside and used in case the companies refused to make reasonable terms.

Monogram on the Coachman's Arn

Monogram on the Coachman's Arm.

[Washington Evening Star:] "The recent horse show in New York," said a livery man, "has brought out many new things in our business, among which are some novel changes in liverles, several examples of which are already noticeable in turnouts. The neatest thing that I have noticed so far is the wearing of the monograms or coat-of-arms of the owners of the turnouts on the sleeves of the coats. The driver wears the monogram of the owner of the carriage on his right arm, while the footman similarly decorates his left arm. The monograms can, therefore, be seen from either side. This idea grew out of the custom of the jockeys on the race courses wearing their numbers on their sleeves, It is decidedly horsey, and, therfore, proper, for everything that is horse goes these days, for the annual horse shows have made such fads fashionable.

"Speaking of carriage outfits, there was never anything so odd as the way in which Catacazy, the Russian Minister during Grant's first term, had his carriage people appear. The driver was gotten up in a semi-military manner, but the footman was attired in full military uniform. He carried a sword, and after he opened the door of the carriage with drawn sword. A part of his duties was to lift the trail of the skirts of the ladles who rode with him from the carriage door up to the house where they entered, and to perform a sinilar duty when they returned to the carriage. I remember also to have seen footmen during Buchanan's administration riding standing on a shelf fixed in the rear of the carriage. They gave a carriage a much grander appearance than when the driver and footman rode side by side on the box. Secretary Fisk, who was Secretary of State in Gen. Grant's Cabinet, hade one of these traps, but he used it but little, for the style was changing about that time."

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CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—The roads of the Western Passenger Association have been voting for the past few days on their own propositions to make rates to the scene of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight in Nevada. The first proposition provides for a rate of \$50 from the Missouri River for the round trip, which means a rate of \$62.59 from Chicago. The other plan is to make a round-trip rate of \$20 less than the regular round-trip rate between Chicago and Reno, Nev., which would mean a rate of \$90 from Chicago. The vote will not be completed until tomorrow, and the chances are very strong that the first proposition will be carried. In fact, one of the strongest roads in the Western Passenger Association has privately announced that it will make the \$62.59 rate, even though the association declared against it. It has full right to make this rate in contradiction to the acts of the association, taking advantage of a clause permitting independent action at the expiration of a ten-days' notice given to the chalirman of the association.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC CHARITY. SOUTHERN PACIFIC CHARITY.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The India Famine Committee has made arrangements with the Southern Pacific Company whereby that corporation will transport free of charge to San Francisco Bay 1090 tons of grain for the benefit of the sufferers in India. The committee today wired the Nebraska Relief Committee that the Southern Pacific Company would handle 1090 tons of Nebraska corn free from Ogden west, and suggesting that the Nebraska committee obtain the same terms from the Union Pacific.

KANSAS PACIFIC BONDS.

ATCHISON BONDS.

CHICAGO. Feb. 5.—The Atchison road has effected a full settlement for the Atlantic and Pacific bonds and has issued its own stock in place of the bonds it has acquired. Within the last week the Atchison secured the last three Sonora bonds outstanding, which completes the purchase of all the bonds outstanding previous to the first reorganization except bonds of the Chicago extension, to the artant of \$800,000.

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END OF A FATHER'S SEARCH FOR HIS MISSING DAUGHTER.

Lillie Hattery Left Her Home in Sa Bernardino and Died in the Rooms of an Electrical "Doctor."

DR. HASTINGS'S EXPLANATION

STORY THAT REQUIRES POLICE AND MEDICAL INVESTIGATION.

Autopsy Will Be Made to Ascertal if Suspicions of Criminal Prac-tice are Well Founded—Girl s Behavior Was Peculiar,

J. L. Hattery, a prominent citizen of San Bernardino, came to Los Angeles several days ago in search of his daughter Lillie. The search ended last night when the father found her lying on a slab at Kregelo & Bresee's morgue.

Two weeks ago yesterday Lillie Hattery left her home at San Bernardino and came to this city. She did not

and came to this city. She did not inform her parents that she was going and they had no inkling of her whereouts until several days after her de parture, when they received a letter from the girl's sister, Bessie, who is attending the Normal School in this city, saying that Lillie was with her. Bessie boards with Mrs., Vincent at No.

A week ago Thursday Lillie left her sister's boarding-house, after Bessie had gone to school. A little later Mrs. Vincent answered the door in response to a ring; and found a boy with a note addressed to her. Inside the note was one addressed to Bessie. This note was received by Bessie upon her return from school, and contained the information that Lillie had been hurt. That was all; there was no address and no clew as to where she might be found. The sister apprised her parents of what she had learned, and last Tuesday Mr. Hattery came to this city and, assisted by the police, began a thorough search for his missing daughter. Her photo was exhibited to the various watches at police headquarters and a description of the girl was read to the officers. Detectives Hawley and Auble were specially detailed on the case, and they were assisted by other detectives and the father. A round of the sanitariums was made and it was learned that a young woman answering the missing one's description had applied for admission at several places, saying she wished to have a criminal operation performed.

At every one of the places she visited she was informed that she could not be accommodated. Finally she sought admission to a place conducted by Dr. C. S. Hastings, who says he is a medical electrician. His place is on the first floor of No. 108 North Spring street. That was a week ago Thursday. A week ago Thursday Lillie left he

day.

The girl never left the place alive.

About 7:30 o'clock last night her body
was borne from the place by the undertakers.

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Dr. Hastings was seen by a Times reporter last night. He professed not to know the name of the girl and told a very peculiar story. Here is what he said: "A week ago yesterday, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, she came up the stairs. The nurse I have went to the door. I was busy. Well, she went to the door and this young girl came walking in. She said she had fallen on the sidewalk and somebody had told her to come up here. She said she had sprained her ankle and had hurt the back of her head. Of course we asked her her name, and she woudn't give it. "We started in and gave here an electrical treatment for the ankle. There was no wound in her head, not even a swelling. She threw up her hands and gave symptoms of spasms. She told us not to be afraid when she did that; that she had done it all her life. She asked us if she could stay here, and asked us to take care of her. We did, until she was too much to take care of. (This with a smile.) She wrote some letters, and I saw a messenger boy with one. It was addressed to Mrs. Vincent, and the number was 504 Fremont avenue. The nurse tried every way n the world to get out of her who her people were. The nurse, Mrs. Weaver, wanted to send for her sister, but she would not let her or tell where she lived. This afternoon she was apparently a great deal better, and of she lived. This afternoon she was apparently a great deal better, and we thought we were going to get rid of her. We had told her that we could not take care of her like that. She only had \$15 when she came in, but she said he would be all right and would

said he would be all right and would pay us.

"She was in a suite on the south side of this office, and Mrs. Weaver brought her into the room on the north side of the office. That is where the water tank is, and where I wet my towels. She seemed better. Mrs. Weaver went out to her dinner and I was just going out. One of the lady patients from Monrovia was sitting beside her. The girl went into spasms and the Monrovia lady called to me. I thought I would move her back to where she came from, as it was more quiet. She refused to go. I said you must go, and insisted. She went into spasms again and cried, 'Oh, my heart,' and clapped her hand to her heart. This was about 4:30 o'clock. The lady from Monrovia and I, and the electrician, who was putting up the lights, worked over her from 4:30 to 5:50 o'clock. The nurse, too, worked when she came back, but it was no us; she must have died instantly.

"Then I called up the undertakers

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"Then I called up the undertakers and told them to come up and take charge of the body. The Coroner was out of town. I am a medical electrician and have been in these same offices for

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eighteen years. I never saw a case like that before."

The reporter asked some rather pointed questions as to the girl's condition, not otherwise described by the doctor, and he replied that he did not know that she had ever had a criminal operation performed. He had not treated her for anything at all of that nature. But before he ceased talking, Hastings admitted that he had been greatly relieved by the appearance of certain functional symptoms, and said: "You bet we were glad when that happened, because we thought we would soon have her off our hands." His remarks could be interpreted only to mean that a criminal operation had been performed by somebody. "Detectives Auble and Bradish and a tall man with whiskers was here last night." said Hastings. "I thought the stranger was the girl's father. He didn't say anything but listened. The detective didn't tell me the girl's name and I dont' know what I knew and didn't tell me what they knew."

Henry Hetzel, an employé of Kregelo & Bresse's, answered a telephone call between 7:30 and 8 o'clock last evening. The man at the other end said he was Dr. Hastings and he wanted the undertakers to come right up. The

was Dr. Hastings and he wanted the undertakers to come right up. The representative who went was ushered into the room by Dr. Hastings. The girl's body was lying on a couch. Dr. Hastings did not state any cause for the woman's death, but said "Yau had better notify the Coroner." The body was removed to Kregelo & Bresee's where Coroner Campbell will hold an inquest and post-mortem examination this morning. nis morning. J. L. Hattery, father of the dead

girl, was formerly an orchardist at Highlands. He moved to San Bernardino about four months ago, and has become quite prominent in that city. He is a well-known Grand Army man, and is a prospective candidate for postmaster. His daughter Tillie was 20 years of age. She was an intelligent and rather handsome girl. Mr. Hattery viewed his daughter's body at the morgue last night.

What prompted the young woman to hide herself in Dr. Hasting's place and shut herself off from communication with her relatives, can only be conjectured. At the inquest today some developments are expected.

Late last night Mr. Hattery telephoned to Dr. Wesley Thompson that his daughter was dead, and requested him to come to Los Angeles the first thing this morning.

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF.

Francisco Aguar was driven to des-peration by brooding over the fate of his brother, John Aguar, and attempted to end his existence by taking an enormous dose of strychnine. He now lies in a ward at the County Hospital on the very verge of insanity, but in a fair way to live. Aguar is a sheep-herder, one of a class of men who sooner or later become insane, and this fact is explained by physicians in a peculiar manner. The theory is that the constant moving of the flock af-

fects the keeper's brain.

Aguar is a partner in the sheep business with George Bixby of the Howard & Bixby ranch, near Long Beach. They

own 1500 head of sheep toether.

A week ago last Sunday John Aguar went into the Cathedral on South Main street, and by his queer actions alarmed the people at worship. Word was sent to the police station and the patrol wagon removed the man to the County Jail.

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The next day he was examined by a lunacy commission and committed to Hinghland.

When Francisco heard of his brother's misfortune he became more melancholy than usual. He acted strangely, a fact which was noticed by Bixby.

Thursday morning Bigby found Aguar in his house, suffering from the effects of poison. A physician was summoned from Redondo and he found that Aguar had taken strychnine. After much difficulty he got Aguar's system free of the poison, and Bixby brought him to the County Hospital in the afternoon, where he now is. He will probably be sent to Highland when he is able to leave the hospital.

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[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] has received the following from its correspondent at Rome: "Despite the statement of Dr. Lapponi to the con trary, I am informed that the Pope was today (Friday) found lying on the

when discovered and was only restored attack is the gravest which he has suffered during the past two years and is attributed to increasing cerebral PRINCE HENRI RECEIVED. ROME, Feb. 5 .- Prince Henri d'Or eans, who is in this city, en route to

Abyssinia, where he goes at the head of a large expedition of a peaceable nature, was today given an audience by the Pope. Prince Henri is supposed to have assumed the leadership of the Monarchists, who rallied to the sup port of the French republic in obedience to the request of the Pope, who is said to have received him in a repre sentative capacity. Just before meet ing the Pope, Prince Henri was in-formed that the alarming rumors regarding the Pope's health were pure nventions.

Portuguese Ministerial Crisis. LONDON, Feb. 6.-A dispatch to the Times from Lisbon gives the following explanation of the downfall of the Portuguese Ministry. It appears that Premier Ernest R. Hintze Riberio asked the King to appoint a number of life Senators for the purpose of enabling him to carry on the government. This the King refused to do, and the Cabinet at once resigned. Luciano de Sastro, who has undertaken the task of reforming the Cabinet, will select a purely Progressit Ministry. Parliament has been dissolved.

Dr. Nansen Banqueted. LONDON, Feb. 5.—Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, was entertained at a banquet given in his honor by the Royal banquet given in his honor by the Royal Society Club at the clubhouse in St. James street tonight. Over one hundred guests were in attendance. The explorer received a tremendous ovation as he briefly thanked his hosts in excellent English. In conclusion, he said: "There is one nation in the world able to finish the work of exploration, and that is the English." A brilliant reception followed the banquet.

Cut His Hand.

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G. Gjermonson, a milk-wagon driver, was driving along Figueroa street near Pico street last evening when his wagon was struck by an electric car. Gjermonson was left hanging by his left hand to a broken window of the car. When he removed it he found a severe cut, in which Dr. Hagan took three stitches at the Receiving Hospital.

Charged with Embeszlement. cago Lodging-house last night by Deputy Constable Mugnemi on a warran charging him with embezzlement. B. Fante is the complainant, and he accuses Clark of embezzling a \$45 guitar.

Ingleside Races. Ingleside Races.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Weather showery at Ingleside; track muddy. Six furlongs: Lady Hurst won, The Tourist second, Baquil third; time 1:18. One mile and a sixteenth: Benamela won, Morte Fonse second, Two Cheers third; time 1:55.

Six furlongs: Elmer F won, Whitestone second, Minnie Cee third; time 1:194.

stone second, Minnie Cee third; time 1:19½. Six furlongs: Pat Murphy won, Moy-lan second, Kowalsky third; time 1:17¼. Seven furlongs: Estaca won, Addle Bichanan second, St. Algnon third; time 1:32.

A TOPICAL SONG.

Take a string of nonsense,
Add a little rhyme,
Set it to a jingle
(Stolen every time;)
Print a colored picture
Of a girl on every page,
And it won't be long before your song
Is simply all the rage.

—Pittaburgh News.

HANNA'S HEAD.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE)

woman lawyer of Washington, and of Dover. N. H., and who has been con-spicuous in politics in California, is a candidate for the office of Minister Colombia, which position is now ed by Luther McKinney of Man-

chester, N. H. Her petition has already been sent to the President-elect. It is perhaps needless to say she is the first woman who has ever aspired to as high position as ambassador of the United States. There are already in the

She wrote many political letters for the Santa Cruz Sentinel, and spoke there in 1888 during the Harrison campaign; also at Santa Barbara and Lodi. In an interview today, Mrs. Ricker declared her determination to leave no stone unturned in her quest of ambassadorial honors.
"I ask for the place," she said, "b

cause I think the time has come when voman should be recognized in the dip-omatic service, and because I believe I have ability and strength of charac er enough to warrant the appointment. The world shall know that one roman at least has courage enough to undertake a line of work hitherto the exclusive prerogative of men."

Mrs. Ricker has a reputation all over the country as a lawer of great abil-ity. She was admitted to the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in 882, standing at the head of her class, was appointed United States Commisoner and Examiner in Chancery by 1885, and was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court in Washing

MCKENNA'S PORTFOLIO.

He Says He Does Not Know Which

One It is,

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—To all Inquirers today Judge Joseph Mc-Kenna frankly admitted that he would become a member of President-elect McKinley's Cabinet, saying the invitation had been extended and that he had accepted the proffered position. He still says the particular department to which he will be assigned has not yet been setled, and while it would more likely to be the Interior, rather than the Attorney-Generalship, yet it might be neither. Judge McKenna has no idea, he says, who will succeed him on the United States Circuit Court bench. He will not resign the latter place until after the inauguration and may perhaps not go to Washington until late in the spring. vitation had been extended and that

PARIS CONSUL-GENERALSHIP.

Friend of McKinley Says Peri

A Friend of McKinley Says Perry
Heath is to Have It.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—A News special
from Anderson, Ind., says: Before
leaving on a trip south which will
probably extend to Cuba, National Republican Committeeman Durbin, who
is in close touch with President-select
is in close touch with President-select s in close touch with President-elect McKinley, said:

McKinley, said:

"You may announce upon my authority that Percy S. Heath, who was in charge of the Bureau of Publication for our Chicago branch of the Republican committee, has been tendered the place of Consul-Genrelal at Paris and will accept. J. K. Gowdy, chairman of the Indiana Republican Committee, has been tendered a first-class foreign ministership. You may give me as authority for this statement."

GOWDY GOES TO PARIS. The Hoosier State Chairman Get

His Reward.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]
INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.,) Feb. John K. Gowdy, chairman of the Republican State Committee, returned to publican State Committee, returned to-day from Canton, and tonight he an-nounced that Maj. McKinley had ten-dered him the important position of Consul-General to Paris. Mr. Gowdy added that after due consideration, he had notified the President-elect of his acceptance of the post.

[Texas Farm Journal:] The largest orange tree in the South is a gigantic specimen which grows out of the rich soil in Terrebonne parish, La. It is fitteen feet in circumference at the base. Its yield has often been 10,000 oranges

Its yield has often been 10,000 oranges per season.

The "tallow tree" of China has a pith from one to two inches in diameter, according to the size of the tree, which is composed of a greasy wax, which is so highly volatile that it often catches fire spontaneously, consuming the tree to the very end of its roots.

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The largest oak now left standing in England is "Cowthorp's oak," which is seventy-eight feet in circumference at the ground. The oldest tree in Britain is "Parliamentary oak," in Clipstone Park, London, which is known to be 1500 years old.

The largest apple tree in New York State is said to be standing near the town of Wilson. It was planted in the year 1815, and it is on record that it once yielded thirty-three barrels of apples in a single season.

There are 413 species of trees found growing within the limits of the United States. The curiosity of the whole lot is the black ironwood of Florida, which is 30 per cent. heavier than water. Well-dried black ironwood will sink in water almost as quickly as a bar of lead.

The "life tree" of Jamaica is harder to kill than any other species of wood growth known to arboriculturists. It continues to grow and thrive for months after being uprooted and exposed to the sun.

Pecan Nuts in Kern County.

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[Lemoore Herald:] On the 25th of February David Cresswell submitted a sample of pecan nuts grown at Stockdale to Goldberg. Bowen & Co. in San Francisco, who found, upon careful examination, that the Kern-county pecan nuts are in everx respect superior to the Texas and Florida auts. The comparative tests were made in the presence of Messrs. Leckenby and Cresswell of Bakersfield. Messrs. Goldberg and Bowen of San Francisco, and representatives of the Texas and Florida Pecan Company. It was found that the Kern-county nuts contained more oil than the others and were a great deal fuller and sweeter than any other kind submitted. For this reason Goldberg. Bowen & Co. offered 2 cents a bound more for Kern-county becan nuts than for the Texas and Florida product, the respective prices being 8

HER MODEL HUSBAND

the Question of a Spinster.
[Chicago Daily Tribune:] It was at a woman's luncheon, and they had been exchanging opinions in regard to the husband question, both as a whole and with particulars. By the time ice cream was served the discussion had grown quite heated, and the hostess was beginning to look anxious. At the top of the table the woman in the chiffon best and her companion in the fur-trimmed gown were at daggers drawn.

"Well, I don't care what any one says, my husband is as good as they make them." said the woman in the chiffon vest excitedly. "He always rocks me to sleep when I have a sick headache, and he gets breakfast when the cook is away, and he always gets up in the night if the baby cries!" She glared at the woman in the furtrimmed gown triumphantly, and she in turn, glared back and took up the parable of speech.

"Well, my husband, she remarked, with a strong accent upon the possessive case, "never does any of these things; I should be sorry to see him do any of them. I detest a man who steps over into his wife's province. But he always looks after the furnace, and

he always looks after the furnace, and have to worry about the

The woman in the chiffon vest smiled disagreeably, and the hostess was about to interpose when the pretty woman at the foot of the table spoke

up.
"My husband does all the things you have mentioned," she said, sweetly, "and a lot more. When we have no girl he washes the dishes and sweeps, and I've never had to get dinner once since we've been married. I always knew he was going to be lovely that way, because he said so little about it. I never had much faith in the men who I never had much faith in the men who talk so much. When we were first married we talked about it, and he spoke beautifully. 'I don't say I'll always do it, Jennie,' he said, the first time I was without a girl, 'but I'll always help.' And he's been better than his word right along. Last night he even made the porridge so it would be ready for breakfast this morning, and every morning he brings me up a cup of coffee before I get up."

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With the smile of a conscious conqueror she toyed with her menu card and smiled sweetly at the angry women at the other end of the table. They were speechless, but the woman in the gold-rimmed glasses who sat in the middle gave her a keen look and smiled, too.

"Something has got to be done for the protection of us poor spinsters,"

"Something has got to be done for the protection of us poor spinsters," she said, merrily, "and if any one else tells a husband story I shall retaliate with a tale regarding a wonderful cat which I possess. But, first, before we quit the subject, let me ask a ques-tion: How long, turning to the pretty woman, have you been married?"

woman, have you been married?"

The pretty woman blushed vividly.
"Nearly two weeks," she stammered out timidly, and the other women laughed in the unfeeling manner they so often affect."

HISTORIC OLD IRONSIDES.

What Congress Ought to Do with the Ship. [Chicago Times-Herald:] Another appeal is being made to Congress to appropriae a sufficient sum of money to repair the old frigate Constitution—"old Ironsides"—and put her into such condition that she may safely be brought to Washington to be preserved.

brought to Washington to be preserved as a naval relic.

For years this historic vessel, once the pride of every American, has been the process of the pride of the cart. More than once some brutal naval economizer has proposed to break her up and sell her for junk. Some such proposition was made about the beginning of the civil war, when it was found she was not seaworthy, but Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes put an end to that idea with his stirring poem, "Old Ironsides"—and it has not been mooted since. But the old vessel has has long been suffered "to lie in cold obstruction and to rot." It is a shame to our patriotism that it should be so. The pride of the English navy today, the vessel that has the place of honor before all others, is the old line-of-battle ship Victory, that carried Nelson to death and to undying fame at Trafalgar. That great ship is preserved as sound and as perfect as when she was in truth, and in fact, one of the "wooden walls of England." She is kept as a perptual memorial to England's conquest of the sea.

What the Victory was to the British as a naval relic.

For years this historic vessel, once the pride of every American, has been lying negeleted and half-forgotten at

est of the ses what the Victory was to the British navy the Constitution was to ours. She is the memorial of our naval victories over Britain in a war in which

she never lost a battle

Why should she not be preserved? Correct and Incorrect Speaking. [Philadelphia American:] The expe-[Philadelphia American:] The experience of many, if not most of us, bears out what Mr. Godkin of the New York Evening Post says in a current Educational Review about the illiteracy of American boys. He urges that we ought to take more care to preserve our language pure. "I speak with deliberation when I say that there is no civilized country in which, outside the colleges, so little of this is done as in ours; in which the people at large, though their which the people at large, though their average speech is better than usual, pay so little attention to their manner of speaking and their choice of words; in which so much havoc is made with the language in daily use. Teachers in America are deprived of one important aid in regard to it, of which I have seen no notice taken, which teachers in European countries enjoy, and that is the fact that, in all the leading countries in Europe, language is connected with social station. Speech which we pass unnoticed here damns a man. In England, France, Germany and Italy, correct speech is a mark of social place. Here, as I have said, it is wanting. The teacher is left to struggle alone against the indifference of both the parents and soofety, and against the streets. Half an hour at home or in the street or made with the language in daily use

an hour at home or in the street or playground, is often enough to oblit-erate the results of two hours' teach-ing at school." than the others and were a great deal fuller and sweeter than any other kind submitted. For this reason Goldberg. Bowen & Co. offered 2 cents a pound more for Kern-county pecan nuts than for the Texas and Florida product, the respective prices being 8 cents per pound for Kern-county pecan nuts and 6 cents for Texas and Florida nuts. This will undoubtedly prove welcome and encouraging news to all those who are engaged or interested in growing pecans in Kern county.

Cashier C. E. Breder of the First National Bank of Sethlebem, Pa., has absconded. Experts have found a shortage of nearly \$15,600.

where in the future. The two men most directly concerned in the negotiation were Mr. Olney, as Secretary of State in Mr. Cleveland's Cabinet, and Sir Julian Pauncefote. British Ambassador to the United States. It must be remembered that an arrangement of this kind is valuable not chiefly by virtue of its mechanism. Upon neither the major nor the minor details of such an instrument do the great issues of war and peace depend. Above all else it is valuable as registering the belief of the two nations and their statesmen that peaceful solutions can be found for such differences as are likely to arise, for the all-important reason that war is not in ulterior contemplation. Whatever differences may appear will at least not grow out of a purpose on the part of either contracting power to act toward the other in a spirit of deliberate hostility or unfriendliness, as fixed design or a national policy. This treaty gives evidence to the whole world that Great Britain and the United States intend to deal with one another as friendly powers, and to that end desire to have disputes settled in a prompt, sensible and businesslike way. We sincerely hope the treaty may in due time be unanimously ratified by the Senate. Even if for any reason it should not be ratified precisely as drawn up and signed, the work of the Cleveland administration and the Salisbury Cabinet would stand nevertheless as an evidence of the general policy and intention of the two governments to do away with grudges and to settle controversies; and thus through its moral influence the treaty would continue to make for peace.

[Chicago Times-Herald:] Edward osewater, chief of the Bureau of Publicity and Promotion of the Transmis-sissippi Exposition, to be held in Omaha from June to November, 1898, acting for the exposition directors, yesterday approved and accepted the plans of Architect S. S. Beman of Chicago for a

Architect S. S. Heman of Chicago for a silver palace. This palace is to be the most imposing feature of the exposition, and the central figure in a portion of the grounds to be called El Dorado.

The building is to be 400 feet square, surmounted with mammoth ornamental towers, and the entire structure will be covered with rolled silver, which will reflect the dazzling glories of the rising and setting sun. The silver to be used in its external covering will be contributed by the miners of the great West. Over 300,000 square feet of external surface will be covered by the precious metal.

It will be arranged in the form of a square, with open arcades and logging

It will be arranged in the form of a square, with open arcades and loggias at each story, similar to the Venetian palace. The corners will be adorned with octagonal towers, terminating with spires and pinnacles covered with the shining metal.

The crowning glory of the palace will be the central lantern or spire, which is octagonal in form, 250 feet high, and 100 feet in circumference. The roof of the lantern will be of glass. Wide avenues will traverse the ground floor, at the intersection of which elevators will ascend to the roof.

The interior of the building will be devoted to a perfect and practical ex-

the mine to its most intricate and arthe mine to its most intricate and ar-tistic adaptation to the beautiful in art and the indestructible in science. The contribution of sliver will be in the nature of a loan, and when the ex-position is over the building will be burned and the silver returned to the cristical owners.

original owners.

Aiready the public-spirited citizens who are managing the exposition have secured subscriptions to the amount of \$400,000. Congress will be asked to appropriate \$500,000 for the erection of a building for government exhibits and for the transportation and proper arrangement of the great fair.

First Impressions of London. [February Scribner's:] First six days on the ocean, then a faint blue coast that gradually turns to a rich green. A little later Southampton, dry land, and England. After that a short green. A little later Southampton, dry land, and England. After that a short journey through country divided by hedges into a green and gold checkerboard; thatched roofs disappear, and chimney-pots take their place and flourish until you come to the Thames and black barges in midstream waiting for the muddy tide to turn, between banks of masts and smokestacks; then the Gothic buildings of Parliament, and "Big Ben," and Charing Cross Station; and in another moment you are in London, riding through the never-ending restlessness of its streets in a cab that you can afford, with your hat box safe by your side and your trunk up by the driver, and London with its history on all sides of you, its wooden streets and polished sidewalks and bright shop windows, and at every corner small sweeps and big policemen, providing clean and safe crossing, while push-carts dodge in and out between steaming bus horses and hansom cabs. This is always my first impression of London.

A SURE 1EST.

The friends I have are leal and true; Indeed. I know they are.
I weeded out the other kind By giving each a bad cigar.
—[Detroit Journal.

There was an old woman who always was She lived in a house where no help was hired: hired:
Her last words on earth were: "Dear friends,
I am going
Where sweeping ain't done, nor churning,
nor sewing:
And everything there will be just to my
wishes.
For where they don't eat, there's no washing
of dishes:
And though there the anthems are constantly
ringing. never,
For I'm going to do nothing forever and ever.'

—[Philadelphia American.

MODERNIZED VERSION.

But, Tommy, you should never let Your angry passions rise. If Dicky wants to fight, keep cool And promptly black his eyes. —[Chicago Tribune.

ROMAUNT.

She does not scream, but seems contest, in She whom his kissing almost smothers; And, when he says "I'm thrilled as by new wine,"
She sweetly murmurs "There are others."
—[Nashville American.

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SOME LOSSES OF LABOR.

The New York Bureau of Statistics of

tention to the question of work and

wages during the past few years. Its latest report is devoted in great part

to the question of wages in the various

industries of the State, covering a period of five years. A brief abstract of

the report is given in an Albany dis

patch, published in the New York Trib-

Returns from 1721 establish

in the sixty-five general industries cov-

ered by the report elicit the fact that in the year 1891 200,333 persons em-ployed by these reanufacturing con-

cerns received \$93,257,541.09, or an av-

erage of of \$466.18 for each employe. There were 236.908 employes at work in 1986 establishments in 1893, and they

received \$109,073,849.25, being an average of \$460.41 for each worker. It is reported by 2154 establishments that in

1894 their 226,137 employés got \$99,052, 028.58, the yearly average for each being \$439.97; while in 1895, according to

the figures presented by 2290 estab-

It will be noted that the highest av-

erage wages were paid in 1891 and 1892,

the years in which the McKinley law

was in uninterrupted operation. In 1893, following the inauguration of

President Cleveland and of a free-trade

regime, the average earnings for each individual fell from \$466.18, in 1892, to \$466.41. In 1894 the average again fell

to \$439.97, recovering in 1895 to \$456.23, or about \$10 less for each and every

workman employed than the average

operation the average wages of 1892 would have been maintained, for the industries of the country would not have felt the pinch of hard times due

to a radical change in our fiscal policy. Taking the average wages of 1892,

therefore, as a basis, it appears that in

the year 1893, the 236,908 employés ir

the 1986 establishments reported lost \$5.77 each, or a total of \$1,366,959.16 by

reason of the free-trade victory of No

ployés of the 2154 establishments re-

porting lost for the same reason \$26.21

each, or a total of \$5,927,050.77. The losses of the 253,139 employes of the 2290 establishments reporting in 1895

were \$9.95 each, or a total of \$2.518,733.05 Thus, in the three years, 1893, 1894 and 1895, the employes of the establish-

ments covered by the report above

quoted from lost on an average, in wages, \$41.93 each, or a grand total of

\$9,812,743.98. This, be it remembered

was in one State only, and in a limited

ments, by no means representing the

total of the State's industries nor the

price to pay for the luxury of a fiscal policy modeled upon the British free-trade pattern?

only an insignificant proportion of the total losses suffered by the laboring

men and women of the country-and

by all classes and industries—as a con-sequence of the overthrow of protec-

employés either had their wages re duced, their hours of labor curtailed, or were thrown out of employment al-together as a consequence of the deci-

sion of the people in 1892 to try "four years more of Grover" and the free-trade experiment which his candidacy

The experiment was tried, with re-sults which are unhappily familiar to

all. And yet there are persons who

have the hardihood to declare that the

There is naturally considerable kick-ing against the passage of the Loud

Bill, which is designed to correct some

grants special rates to publishers on second-class matter. The objections to

the measure come principally from book

publishers, who have flooded the mails with hundreds of tons of books, trashy

and otherwise, for transmission as

"periodicals" at the rate of 1 cent per pound. Some newspaper publishers also

object to the bill because it excludes sample copies from the pound rate: But

the measure as a whole is meritorious and will if it becomes a law, save hundreds of thousands of dollars to the

government, which loses money on mail matter carried at 1 cent per pound. The bill has already passed the House,

and seems in a fair way to become

national campaign of 1896.

represented.

The figures above given

of manufacturing establish-

workmen em-

vember, 1892. In 1894 the 226.137

under the McKinley law in 1892. It is fair to assume that if the Mc-Kinley law had remained in undisputed

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

ORPHEUM-Vaudeville.
BURBANK-Mr. Barnes of New York.

THE "TIMES" MIDWINTER NUMBER.

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THE NEW TARIFF.

It is encouraging to learn from Washington dispatches that the House Committee on Ways and Means, which has had the new tariff bill under consideration for some weeks past, has made satisfactory progress, and that the measure will be ready to report soon after the assembling of the extra session. There are good reasons for believing that prompt action will be before Congress, and that before the close of the present fiscal year the obpealed and a protective law enacted in

Washington dispatches indicate that the interests of agriculturists in general and those of Pacific Coast farm ers and fruit-growers in particular, are to be amply protected in the new bill. The agricultural schedule is in point of fact a reënactment of the McKinley with some unimportant of \$5 per head on cattle more than a year old, and 25 per cent. ad valorem on cattle valued at more than \$20 a head, will be of material benefit to the entire southwestern portion of the country, which has been exposed to ruinous competition by the wholesale mportation of Mexican cattle since the present tariff went into effect. The Kinley law imposed a duty of \$10 per head on cattle more than one year old, but it is expected that the 25 per cent. ad valorem on cattle valued at more lower rate on ordinary grades, and will serve to shut out, to a large extent, demoralizing influx of Mexican

and, in fact, farmers throughout the country-will appreciate the restora-tion of the McKinley duty on barley The importation of vast quantities of Canadian barley under the Gorman-Wilson law has seriously affected the tion in 1892. The experience of New York was similar to that of every other State in the Union. Several millions of home market for American barley; has, in fact, practically turned over this market to Canadian barley-growers. The new tariff will change all this, and will give the American farmer a chance in his own market.

Breadstuffs, rice, dairy products, po tatoes and starch, castor beans, flaxseed, meats and meat products; poul-try, vegetables, salt and hay, are among the agricultural products upon the McKinley duty is stored. The advanced duty on all these articles will be of direct benefit to American farmers, and will greatly as-sist in the restoration of the agricultural industry to a condition of pros-

of the abuses that have grown up un-der that clause of the postal law which on fruits and berries, and the certainty of higher duties on citrus fruits, will directly and greatly benefit the fruitgrowers of California, as will the resmittee, in short, appears to be doing its work well in preparing a new protective tariff, that will protect. If there be no factious opposition to the new within a few weeks after its submission to Congress. There need be and should be no prolonged debate in a Republican Congress over a protective Republican principles and in response a large majority of the American peo-

eagerly awaiting the relief which such a measure will afford, and thousands upon thousands of American laboring \$200,000 from the Federal government \$200,000 from the Federal government to the control of the war, and collected over \$200,000 from the Federal government to the control of the war.

men are anxiously awaiting the opportunities to work which its enactment will bring to them.

The people will expect prompt and businesslike treatment of this all-important question by the extra session. Let Congress do its duty in the premises and the industrial public will do the rest.

DUCKWORTH'S CASE.

The legislative committee which ha been investigating the pay-roll scandal made its report yesterday. The re-port finds that Chief Clerk Duckworth nileage and per diem in excess of requirements. The report further recite that Duckworth deliberately and inten tionally appointed an army of unneces-sary attachés, for which he has of-fered no excuse save his desire to eward the persons appointed for politithat his action is the culmination of a bad practice which ought to be makes no recommendation, but leaves Duckworth to be dealt with by the House. Mr. Waymire introduced a resolution for the removal of Duckworth from office, but as all mem-bers were not present, it went over It is intimated that not all the mem ers of the Investigating Committee and that it may fall to secure the ma jority necessary for its adoption. If such should be the case, the House will virtually confess itself particeps riminis in Duckworth's misdoings. -He has plainly proven himself unworthy of the office of chief clerk, and should be expelled from that office forthwith. The Assembly will stultify itself if it fails to take action.

Rev. George Brooks of London, whom as the "king of beggars," has been cast for the costs in his second suit, which was against the St. James Gazette. The publishers of the Gazette showed that Brooks, instead of being a poor clergyman, as he claimed to be, really had a handsome country hous with plenty of servants and carriages. It also showed that Brooks had secured an average of \$8000 per year by means of his begging letters. The reverend gentleman must have been a disciple of erage of \$465.51 each. In 1892, 215.830 Jeff Hankins, the noted Chicago wage-workers in 1824 establishments re-ceived a total of \$100.616.011.18, an ava sucker born into the world every minute." Of course he claimed that he solicited these donations in behalf of the suffering poor, but there was too much money left sticking to his elerical fingers. It reminds one of Thurlow Weed's stories of a defaulting deacon in an Albany church, who em-bezzled about \$285 in small change that had been taken up in contribution boxes. On being questioned as to why he did it, the man replied: "Well, it was lishments, 253,139 persons engaged therein obtained in wages \$110,427,-158.81, an average for the year of \$456.23 taken up for the benefit of the poor, and didn't know of any family that's oorer than my own!

Southern California Senators and Asemblymen should keep up a vigilan watch on the appropriations for State nstitutions. It is rumored that an attempt is to be made to "save over \$400,-000 at the expense of the Southern asyums and schools," while the northern concerns are to receive nearly the full mount asked for. The institutions of the State should receive adequate appropriations, whether they are situated in the north or south. There should be no discriminations against any section, and no such discriminations must be permitted. Our Senators and Assemblymen should insist upon a fair deal. That is one of the purposes for which they were sent to Sacramento. They will be expected to do their duty.

It is said that the bubonic plague India has spread as far north as Delhi and as far south as Bangalore. The only surprise to people familiar with that country and the habits of its native population, is that there is a single turbed by its ravages. A Chinaman is one too clean, but he takes a bath the same thing once. The bubonic plague is the joint result of famine nd filth-and it is hard to say which of the two is the worse.

The Kentucky officials who are try ing to indict Mr. Huntington because his company failed to file an annual reings for the past year. The fine is \$1000 for the offense and \$50 per day for each day of delay without filing a eport of some sort. Basil Duke, the P. agent for Kentucky, and his failure to file a report of some sort, makes all the company's officers liable to a rest. It pays to keep up with the pro-

There are reports of heavy snow storms all over Illinois and Missouri while here in Los Angeles we had nice little "Oregon mist" that sur quietly into the ground and not a drop went to waste. The rich alfileria, the greatest of all herbage grasses, though it does not make the best of hay, is growing luxuriantly already; and the cows, which prefer it to all other elements of pasture, have met

Three Chinese at Portland were crumated in a lodging-house the other night and are now talking it over with beard grow out during the winter months, and the three that got barbe-cued in their own skins are felicitating themselves over the fact that in their removal from this sublunary sphere Divine Providence omitted the instrumentality of the customary high-

That story of a man dying in Fresn poems of a brave man dying of thirst in Australia. Fresno is a land where the soil laughs out a harvest when tickled by the plow-a land of luscious grapes and oranges, as well as of fat hogs and waving fields of corn. To hear of a man perishing from hunge in a land like that is enough to make

That Oakland girl who nearly dis-ocated her neck in trying to see in ocated her neck in trying to see in located ner neck in trying to see in what sort of shape "her golden hair was hanging down her back," may be able to get her spine readjusted by next Fourth of July. She cannot get her head around to pencil her eyebrows quite as well as formerly; and the po-sition of her face makes it somewhat

ginning to get at some of the true in-wardness of the State Printing Office

"rotten in Denmark" is already apparent beyond the possibility of doubt. But the rottenness uncovered thus far is as nothing to that which will be revealed later on in the investigation, un-less all indications are at fault. Let the sword go in to the hilt. It is time for Reform and Retrenchment, with the

Mrs. Stanford's gentle reminder to Senator Stewart about that \$60,000 owed her husband at the time of his set the sagebrush statesman to "rust ling" up the coin. With free coinage the ancient Apollo of the Comstock might have gotten out with paying four bits on the dollar. But McKinley was all can see how Stewart was affected

The Solons from San Francisco ar working to create three more sub-divisions of the Superior Court of that county at an expense of \$18,000 addi-tional to the county. It will be so after a while that every litigant will have his own court in which to bring actions San Francisco has more courts than New York or Chicago, when the relative sizes of the three cities are taken into consideration.

Spain is in bad luck. The plan of reform in the Cuban government, now made public by the Spanish Ministry for the first time, does not suit the haughty dons of the mother country So the government will have to continue the war in Cuba at an enormous expense and without the sypmathy of a single civilized nation on the face

hilariously jubilant at the prospect of having their salaries reduced, as pro-posed in the new County Government Bill, as noted in our special dispatches from Sacramento. But these are days they will probably have to take their

San Francisco is holding mass-meet ngs for the purpose of alleviating the condition of "Poor Jack" It is a hard most improvident and reckless men on earth, as a class, but if any good can be achieved by laws passed in their behalf, it will be a good thing.

It seems odd to read that street cars are tied up by snow as far south as Wichita, when one remembers that Wichita is in the State of Kansas, No. news from that neck-o'-the-woods is

THE TIMES ALMANAC.

"Summary of Notable Eventa."

[University Courier, Los Angeles:]
We are in receipt of another evidence of the enterprise of that greatest of our Southern California dailies, a "Year-Book and Almanac," issued by the Los Angeles Times. The book comprises over 500 pages of statistical and general matter, of invaluable interest to any student. In a compact form is found a summary of the notable events in the history of California, and in addition is an epitome of all the important occurrences in every country of the world for the year 1896. Political questions are treated briefly and concisely. Finance, tariff, labor questions, agriculture, both in the United States and foreign countries, all receive attention. A most important feature are the maps and statistics relative to the elections of last year. Athletics come in for their share of attention, records in all departments being given. It is, in a word, a fund of information for everybody, no matter what their profession, business or occupation. It will be sent on application to any address on receipt of the subscription price, 35 cents, and may be found on sale at all the leading book stores in Southern California." "Summary of Notable Events."

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"Worth Five Times the Price. [Fullerton Tribune:] The Los Anges Times has issued a "Year-Book and which marks an epoch in the state has made such progress as to have rendered it necessary to prepare in some compact form a summary of the notable events in its history. The book contains nearly 600 pages and is worth five times the price asked for it—35 cents.

THE MIDWINTER NUMBER.

"May Well Be Proud Of."

[Bridgeport (Cal.) Chronicle-Union:]
The Los Angeles Times issued a mammoth Midwinter edition, which the Times Company may well be proud of in every particular of its make-up. It is a good advertisement for that section of our State, as it contains innumerable half-tone views of its city and vicinity, beautiful residences, orchards, farms, etc., with a comprehensive description of its southern surroundings, and its news department was not at all slighted in the general preparation of slighted in the general preparation of

Greater New York.

The Greater New York edition of the York Tribune is truly a magnificent production. It is composed of four sections, embracing in all seventy-six pages. Three of the sections are directly devoted to a full consideration of the subject which suggested the edition, that of Greater New York. In addition to these four sections there are two colored supplements, in one of which is given a solendidly executed bird's-eye view of the city of New York as it exist today. A glance at this view is sufficient to show the further normous possibilities of grewth for that city, with the further advantage of having a water frontage for docking facilities greater than that possessed by any other city in the world. On the colored title page is a charming sketch giving a glimpse of De Heere Straat, the original Broadway, while immediately underneath it is a sketch of the Broadway of the present day. The Tribune management is to be congratulated on having produced one of the grandest specimens of a high-class newspaper ever produced on this continent, and, possibly, in the world. Greater New York.

Patents for Inventions. Americans are natural-born inven-tors, but very few of them know how to proceed to patent their inventions. The Times almanac will tell you; get a copy and save time. Price, 35 cents

[London Tid-Bits:] The Husband (during the quarrel.) You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't? The wife. Yes, sir—on my wedding

THE PITIABLE DECADENCE OF A LOCAL JOURNAL.

How Folly and Fraud Have Brought

TRYING TO DOWN "THE TIMES.

ERRATIC, KINDERGARTEN, AND FAKE ERAS.

Mismanagement of a Paper Which Starfed Twenty-three Years Ago Under Favor-able Auspices.

As briefly mentioned in The Times yesterday, there has been another change in the management of the Los Angeles Herald. The numerous changes that have taken place during the past that have taken place during the past two years in that paper remind one of the transformations of a "rapid-change artist" on the variety stage. The opportunity is a fit one to take a brief glance at the career of this Los Angeles paper, not only as a matter of local interest, but also as a brilliant example of how "not to do it" in the newspaper world.

THE HERALD AS IT WAS. The Herald is an old paper, as pa-pers in California go. It is over twenty-three years since the first number three years since the first number appeared. During ten years of that appeared. During ten years of that period it had little serious competition in the Southern California field—a field which, moreover, was intensely Demo-cratic in sentiment, and therefore in sympathy with the political policy of

the paper. Under the management of Messrs. Ayers and Lynch, the Herald was a paper of some standing in the sparsely-settled communities of Southern California. It is true that it never approached within reasonable distance of being an ideal payspaper. eing an ideal newspaper, even for lose pioneer days. It is true that the business management of the paper was during most of that period rele-gated to men who were incompetent, gated to men who were incompetent, or worse; it is true that the condition of the publication office was such as of the publication office was such as to cause an involuntary shudder on part of those who entered it. Yet, at that time, there was a certain breezy aggressiveness about the florid editorials of Lynch, and a literary finish to the well-rounded, scholarly articles of Ayers, that earned the paper a good many admirers. Then, again, the Herald claimed, with some reason, to have been the original journalistic boomer of Southern California, and its descriptive articles in those early days undoubtedly did much to draw attention to this favored section of the country.

THE ERRATIC ERA. Many bad breaks were made by the Herald under that management. Dur-Herald under that management. Dur-ing the great strike of 1894, the paper took the wrong side, but in that course it had a numerous company. In pre-vious dealings with the Typographical Union—in 1890—at the time when that organization made unreasonable and impossible demands on the local papers, the Herald showed its weakness and lack of backbone by falling down be-fore the totem tribe after making a brief show of standing up for its rights. In the great railway insurrection, when in the great railway insurrection In the great railway insurrection, when the laws and authority of the United States were defled, and the peace and safety of Los Angeles were imperited, the Herald weakly cowered before the storm and catered to the mob. This period in the history of the Herald, up to the fall of 1894, may be characterized as the erratic cra of the paper.

THE KINDERGARTEN ERA. After Messrs. Ayers and Lynch sold out, the rapid slide of the paper down out, the rapid slide of the paper down the journalistic scale commenced in earnest. It was purchased by a stock corporation, composed of Los Angeles citizens, among whom were men of good intentions, but none with any practical knowledge of the newspaper business. The business management went rapidly from bad to worse. Each director had his own peculiar amateur views of the manner in which the paper should be conducted, and there was, as might be supposed, a succession of disagreements, almost from the start. During a period of little more than one year from the time when Messrs. Ayers and Lynch sold out, the Herald was

and Lynch sold out, the Heraid was presided over successively by A. M. Stephens, Esq.; John Bradbury and William Lacy.
A silly trick of the Heraid about this time was to offer as premiums to subscribers, so-called "town lots" of twenty-five feet front, out on an extension of the Mojave desert, in the Antelope Valley.

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Meantime, the circulation of The Times was steadily climbing upward, while that of the Herald was as steadily decreasing. Another change in the management was necessary. It took place in 1895, when a control in the paper was acquired by W. S. Creighton and Telfair Creighten, two young persons who knew as little about the newspaper business as they do about the law. They have doubtless by this time acquired some insight into the newspaper business, at least, so far as to discover how rapidly a mismanaged paper can swallow up money. Under their control, the Herald has been characterized by unadulierated faking, fraud and gross lack of ordinary business sense. They appear to have started out with the idea of emulating the worst features of the San Francisco Examiner, without succeeding in absorbing any of the erratic ability that is occasionally displayed in that paper. Their main object, which they did not take 'he trouble to disguise, was to 'down The Times," apparently realizing that they had no hope of successfully competing with this paper in a legitimate way, and cherishing the foolish phantasy that they would be able to build up a successful paper on its ruins. Such little policy as had been displayed by the paper hitherto, rapidly disappeared under the Creighton regime. Originally the Herald, under the management of Ayersand Lynch, had been an advocate of free silver coinage. During the early portion of the fake era, it was a strong gold organ, and seme of the editorials that appeared at that time would have delighted the heart of the most rabid "gold bug." Then, under this same reactous Creighton couple, and after the nomination of Bryan, the Herald flopped around once more, and came out as an ardent advocate of free silver, free trade, free drinks, and free everything. It was an out-and-out Popocratic journal, pandering to the baser instincts of the populace, and disgusting its old-time Democratic subscribers, who left if by scores and hundreds.

not because that was the right side, but because it was evidently the more popular one. The time of the management was about equally divided between fishing for financial "suckers" and howing in a loud voice against the "allied villainies" municipal, State and national, so that it became recognized as the organ of all those who have nothing to lose and everything to gain by a general shaking up, thus naturally forfeiting the confidence and support of the solid class of the community.

The Herald made a most vindictive fight against the City Water Company—on paper. Every day its columns were filled with double-leaded attacks on that corporation, which it represented as everything that was bad, and mean, and dangerous in the community. Meantime, while thus printing its demagogic rant, the Herald was seeking by direct solicitation of its managers to obtain from the water company a gift of money, in consideration of which it promised the company treated its demand with the contempt which it deserved, telling it to do its worst—whatever that might amount to. In short, the policy of the Herald at this time was one of blackmail, pure and simple, tempered by general incompetency in the business and editorial departments. There appeared to be no depths foo low for the journal to reach. For the first time in the history of the paper its advertising columns were open to a class of immoral notices which no self-respecting paper would for a moment think of printing.

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It was evident to any person of average intelligence that there could be but one result of such a suicidal policy—bankruptcy. It is no wonder that under such management the paper has run thousands of dollars into debt. The wonder is that it succeeded in keeping afloat so long under these conditions, One of the worst breaks ever made by the Herald was the bluff it perpetrated in connection with a woman's by the Heraid was the bluff it perpertrated in connection with a woman's Thanksgiving number of the paper in 1895, the proceeds of which were to be devoted to charitable purposes. The hopeful and trustful women worked hard and got up a large amount of more or less interesting matter, but when the returns came in it was found that the Heraid had debited them with the bulk of the Secripts for "expenses."

This may be properly designated as the fake era in the life of the Herald THE LATEST CHANGE. Now, under the latest change of man-agement, there is a prospect that the Herald may do better. With Stephen M. Herald may do better. With Stephen M. White as one of the owners, and such men as J. W. Francis and T. E. Gibbon on the board of directors, and with a practical and experienced newspaper man like W. A. Spalding in charge, there is reasonable ground for believing that the Herald may be ultimately placed on a legitimate, business basis as a prosperous newspaper enterprise. There is room in Los Angeles for two morning dailies, representing each of the great political parties. That the Herald has hitherto failed to fill, in any adequate measure, the opening for a

above.
One of the most striking lessons to be learned from the history of the Los Angeles Herald during the past few years is the fact that no newspaper years is the fact that no newspaper can be built up on a policy which con-sists solely in trying to pull another paper down. It must have honor, in-tegrity, courage, independence and tell the truth; it must have business and additional negarity, and stripe aver to editorial sagacity, and strive ever to be right. The whole science of journal-ism consists in being right.

A CRITICISM ON BRYAN.

[San Antonio Express, January 31.] Mr. Bryan makes a specious plea for his side of the question. He starts by talking of right and wrong, equality of man and justice to all. Having secured the indorsement of these simple propo sitions in the minds of his hearers with

the indorsement of these simple propositions in the minds of his hearers without a dissenting voice, he proceeds to claim that his theory of bimetallism is the only one fulfilling these requirements. To bring the mind of his hearers to an indorsement of his position, he takes it upon himself to array one class against the other. The debtor and the creditor are declared to be at war with each other and right is allowed to the debtor and the creditor is given might as his weapon to enforce his arguments upon the debtor.

Mr. Bryan fails, however, to draw the line between the debtors and the creditors. He fails to do this for the reason that it is almost impossible. All men who have risen a peg above absolute dependency enter to a certain degree into both classes at various times and legislation aimed at the creditor is almed at a vast majority of men and women, who pursue the usual avocations of life from the lowest to the highest. Appeals to class prejudice are harmful to the community, each and every member thereof and nearly all the trouble this country has ever had has arisen from thus inflaming the passions of men.

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How great men do shrink when you get close up to them. While Mr. Bryan, with his manly physique, strong face and expressive eyes has a strikingly imand expressive eyes has a strikingly Impressive personality, he was an evident disappointment to many people accustomed to regard public meñ as demigods. After all the difference between great men and the general average of mankind is not so marked. If you want to have that brand of greatness out of which Presidents are made it is necessary that you take the precaution to be born in a log cabin and reside in a doubtful State. Few of the personal associates of great men have ever believed tune. Mr. Bryan himself was a working newspaper reporter last summer at a salary of less than \$50 per week and as such reported the National Re-

Omaha World-Herald. A few weeks later he was nominated himself for President. At that time he is said not to have had \$50 in the world that he could call his own, but he had it in him, with some talent and a great deal of

HE DOES NOT LIKE KING OSCAR.

nator Perkins's Reasons for Opposing the Arbitration Treaty.
[San Francisco Chronicie:] Senator.
Perkins, in a letter just reseived by Judge M. Cooney of this city. gives his reasons for distrusting the treaty providing for general arbitration with Great Britain, which the President has submitted to Congress.

The letter reads as follows:
UNITED STATES SENATE, WASH-

M. Cooney, Phelan Building, San Francisco, Cal.—My Dear Judge: I thank you very much for your letter of January 21, relating to the proposed arbitration treaty, for I find that my mind has been traveling in exactly the same path as your own, which has been educated to follow out the intricactes of law and ascertain remote results. I am free to say that I cannot, as yet, see that advantage can be gained by the United States by this particular treaty. It seems to me that through it we would be in danger of having our affairs inextricably entangled with those of European powers, so that every political disturbance abroad would produce disturbance at home. We have thus far been fortunate—I do not think most of us recognize how fortunate—In being entirely free from European political entanglements, and I should deem it a great misfortune if we should ever be so connected with European affairs as to become one of the powers which are always on the verge of war with each other. has been traveling in exactly the same

are always on the verge of war with each other.

I am in favor of arbitration of international differences and of differences at home growing out of the relations of labor and capital. But I am of the opinion, as you are, that in the former case an arbitration commission can be formed to dispose of disputes which, when settled, will leave us free of European influence, as we have thus far been.

While these are the general grounds on which I object to a treaty of this kind, I have specific objections on the score of the character of the final arbitrator, who is, in my opinion, bound to decide in favor of England in any case that might come before him. Yours very truly, GEORGE C. PERKINS.

All humans reminds me of minen', each erit-

All humans reminds me of minen', each eritter's some sort of a claim;
Some pays from the croppin's, an' others
ain't no sort of mine but a name;
An' some has the lead kivered over so deep
that et never is found,
An' others shows big on the surface, like a
wedge that is driv in the ground;
But wen you go down, w'y she pinches till
the pay streak is squeezed out o' sight,
An' the walls come a crowden together like
the ledge hedn't no sort o' right.
An' some that won't horn at the grass roots,
'll pay like the devil below. 'll pay like the devil below

each claim hez a stamp mill a-runnen' on ome saven' the gold up to 90, an' some leav-

Jist widen right out from a crivice, get richer

says everybody is scamps; An some runs it all in the tailen's, an' say that the gold isn't there, An' some only runs on a Sunday, an' amai-

gamates only by prayer; Each thinks that the Lord in retorten', 'll save all the gold that they is, the brick that is biggest an' purest 'll certainly prove to be His.

tell you the ore that is richest hez the gold that is hardest to get,
An' it's got to be put through a smelter,
there's no good a-worken' it wet;
An' that makes me think of a story; two

chaps that I knowed in the past, One ugly an' solemn as prayen', the other un me an' fast; 'his money like water, an' awhoopen' it up all the time, The other un sober and stingy, like spenden' a nickel was crime. An' Lord! how the fast un 'ld keep us a-laffen'

an' whoopen' like sin, Maken' fun of the sober un's actions, taken' Fer the sober's un's eyes used to glitter like he'd wrastled the devil a turn. An' wux onto some wrinkles in fighten' that

Well, one night when the fast un was given a treat to the sober un's ways, At a winder I seen Mose a-standen, an' I'm durned if his eyes didn't blaze; An' afore I could think or do nothen', Mose stood in the doorway an' said: white-livered whelp of a blackleg,

they's one of us got to go dead."

But afore he had finished his sayen', the
fast 'n had shot from his hip.
An' cut off the tip of the moustance on Anteup Sanderson's lip;

An' then there was shooten' an' cussen', an Fer it wuzent my funeral party, an' hadn't

no speech for to say.

But when I peeked out o' my corner, an' over
the top uv a stool,
The fast un uz dead ex a preacher, an' Moses
wuz dyen', but cool. Jist then a too the stage hed got in,

the stage hed got in,
An' the passengers, sniffin' un' smellin', came
to see w'at the trouble hed bin.
One uv 'em, a quiet ol' lady, got a glance at
the handsome un's face,
An' the screech that she give was so fetchen'
it jostled my hat out o' place;
Then floppen' right down on her marrers,
"Good God, it's my Jimmy," she said;

Mose's throat give a kind of a rattle, and the next thing we knowed he wuz dead; So we kinder pict up his cadaver, a-thinken' to pack et away, W'en the ol' lady sez, "There is Johnny," an'

she dropt like a chunk o' wet clay. Wall, to whittle et down to a focus, et seems that the fellers war chums,
Till Jim got to slighten' his mother an' runen' th nuthen' but bums,
W'ich John, who wuz kinder adopted, as-

shoored him wuz acten' the cuss, But Jim only laffed ez he told him thet

him fur to go back; An' w'en John wuz saven' an' stingy, he sent

An' w'en John wus saven' an' stingy, he sent every cent that he got
Back home to the mother, an' told her that
Jim anted half of the pot;
An' that he'd quitadrinken' an' fighten', an',
wus doen' his best right along.
He lied, but the mother wus happy; be
durned of I think et wus wrong.

near every lump.

An' though in the show-down he killed Jim.
an' et looks like the ore hed turned bass.
I think 'twus a slip in the ledge, and the
Lord'll soon find et in place.

ALFRED I. TOWNSEND.

S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles U. S. WRATHER BUREAU. Los Angeles. Feb. 5.—At 5 o'clock s.m. the barometer registered 30.03; at 5 p.m., 29.99. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 54 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 100 per cent.; 5 p.m., 91 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg. minimum temperature, 53 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, .09 inch; rainfall for season, 11.09 inches. Character of weather, 5 a.m., light rain; 5 p.m., light rain.

Barometer reduced to sea level.

The Gimes

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

A San Diego man has a large bird use in which hundreds of varieties of birds from all parts of the world live in happiness and thrive. Among live in happiness and thrive. Among them is a flock of eastern quail. These birds are plump and healthy. It is believed that if a few of these game birds were freed in Southern Califorpopulated with "bob-whites."

The Board of Public Works refused to be bamboozled by the attorney for Boiler Inspector Walters ,and recom mended that the useless, incompeter and vindicative official be legislated out of the office that his ex-honor, Mayor Rader, put him into with full knowledge of his unfitness. The inspection of boilers by a person like Walters is not only a farce but a nuisance to citizens who own boilers.

Fourteen million dozens of eggs, worth \$3,450,000, are produced an-nually in the State of California, and are consumed by the inhabitants thereof in the shape of fried, boiled, omelettes, egg-nogs, ham-'n-eggs, custards, Tom and Jerry, egg puddings, church-fair ice cream, prairie oysters, etc., etc., etc. Holy Brahma! What an industry for the poor but honest farmer!

Riverside has a county official who is thrifty to a degree. His monthly bill was before the Supervisors yes-terday, and in it were some unusual The gentleman spent twelve days in the rural districts recently in his official capacity. He traveled with his own team and charged the county with livery hire, and horse feed, not to mention his own board. He must have had his bicycle along also, for the county was asked to pay for two punctures that had been contracted. The Populistic board evidently thought the bill all right, for they ordered a warrant drawn for the amount asked

Making laws to keep Chinamen out of the country is about as effectual as damming a mill-stream with a barbedwire fence. The sleek and tawny celes tials dribble in from every point of the compass without the formality of registration, and are speedily lost in the general yellow mass of their countrymen. Occasionally, however, an unusu ally alert officer unearths some in-genious way of smuggling Chinamer over the line that has hitherto been kept dark, and then there is trouble enough and to spare, and in vain do the heathen rage. A gang of almondeyed aliens has just been captured near San Diego, having sneaked over the border from Mexico with the aid of a regularly organized gang of Chinese smugglers. All were arrested and will speedily be returned to the Flowery Kingdom, declined with thanks by

It is reported that the San Gabrie River has deposited a heavy silt along its course since the rainy season be gan. Unlike the pure sandy deposit of previous years, this heavy sediment comes from the ashes and exposed soil left by the extensive mountain fires of last summer. The irrigators are congratulating themselves upon a variety of advantages which they predict will result from the flow of this silt, but they seem to have no realizing sense of all that is implied by its presence in the waters of the river. The vegetation of the mountains, which was consumed to make these ashes, has been destroyed, and the watersheds in the districts of water-supply are denuded. An unusual flow of water is running in the hill country is being badly washed. This bodes ill for future summers, and presages a short water supply. In spite of these object lessons, no organized effort is being made to secure legislation which will tend to preserve and protect the mountain forests.

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Arbor Day at Tueson.

TUCSON (Ariz.,) Feb. 5.—Tucson celebrated Arizona Arbor day by an elaborate excursion by students of the Territorial University. Members of the Territorial Legislature were present. A public reception in honor of the legislators was given tonight at the new Orndorff Hotel. Tomorrow the members will be taken to Mission San Xavier.

[San Francisco Chronicle:] If the statement respecting the cost of construction of the Salt Lake and Los Angeles Rallroad made by General Manager Clayton is true, or anywhere mear the truth, a puzzled public would like to inquire what reason there is for expecting the government to receive fabulously large amounts for the subsidized railroads if sold under foreclosure proceedings. Clayton says a large part of the proposed road will be constructed at an expense of not more than \$10,000 a mile. In the name of common sense if a new road can be built for ten or twenty or thirty thousand dollars a mile, why should capitalists scramble over each other to secure roads at a cost of seventy and eighty thousand dollars a mile?

[Washington Star:] It was in front of a theater that a number of people observed a showly-dressed man, "I tell you," remarked one of the group, "a man is lucky to have a big fur-trimmed overcoat this kind of weather."
"Perhaps." was the reloinder in

weather."
"Perhaps," was the rejoinder, in a tone of chronic discontent; "he's either lucky, or else he's an actor."

[Judge:] "Davie, what is nature?"
This was a bit heavy for the boy, but he grappled with it bravely.
"Nature? Huh!—nature is—is us 'fore we get into society."

HEATING HOUSES, CHURCHES, ETC. With hot air is made a specialty by F. B. Browna, No. 123 East Fourth street.

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A DEFAULTING CASHIER.

OF THE OLDEST BANKS IN MONTANA WRECKED.

rthwestern National of Great Falls Closed Pending an Investi-gation — The Accused Cashier Prostrated—Others Implicated.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.] GREAT FALLS (Mont..) Feb. 5.—The Northwestern National Bank, one of the oldest institutions in the State, posted a notice announcing its suspen-sion, this morning. The board of di-rectors and officers charge that the trouble is due to a defalcation on-the

trouble is due to a defalcation on the part of the cashier, Benton D. Hatcher, \$186,000.

The Comptroller of the Currency has wired Louis C. Phelps to take temporary charge of the bank, pending the arrival of the examiner. The assets of the institution are given out by the directors of \$750.000. Habilities of about directors as \$750,000: liabilities of about

trival of the examiner. The assets of the institution are given out by the directors as \$750,000; liabilities of about equal amount.

Cashier Hatcher is lying prostrated at his home here. All day long he refused to say anything for publication. The charges made by the board of directors are of a sensational character. It is believed, however, that in the wrecking of the bank more than Cashier Hatcher are implicated. On December 12, last, the Conrad brothers, who organized the bank in the early eightles, offered their stock, amounting to \$180,000, for sale, as they were retiring from active business. The entire holding was purchased by Cashier Hatcher, who informed the directors of the bank that he had friends in Boston who wanted to purchase the stock. Mr. Hatcher went East in December, and on his return informed the directors that he had sold the stock to his friends.

The correspondent of the Northwestern in the East is the Globe National Bank of Boston. Cashier Hatcher, it is believed, being unable to dispose of the stock as he had agreed to do, drew from the Globe National Bank the amount of the purchase of the stock, \$180,000. This was over a month ago, and no suspicion of where the money came from was entertained until just before a mortgage for reorganization was precived, January 12. Investigation was put on foot, but no knowledge of it was possessed by the officers or directors here until the arrival of President Januars A. Coram, from Boston, last night. He at once called a meeting of the directors, and for the first time it was known that the Globe National Bank did not have on deposit the amount reported by the Northwestern books here, \$180,000.

The directors decided to suspend, and this morning wired the Comptroller to that effect.

Cashier Hatcher charges that he drew the money from the Globe National at the directors of President Coram called at his house this morning and assured him that he had perfect confidence in his honesty.

The last statement, given out December 17 last, showed total asse

VENTURA COUNTY.

Fruit-growers Organize an

FILLMORE, Feb. 4.—[Regular Correspondence.] The citrus-fait interests are perhaps paramount here, and despite the attacks being made upon exchanges, the large majority of pro-gressive growers here are convinced of two things: First, that something has got to be done to define and secure our rights in the struggle, and, second that the coöperative plan, as displayed by the exchange methods, is the proper that the coöperative plan, as displayed by the exchange methods, is the proper course to pursue, consequently an association has been formed, composed of or favored by all the wide-awake growers, for the purpose of disposing of all the citrus fruit of its members to the best mutual advantage. The association was duly incorporated with 1000 shares of stock of \$10 each. Trustees were chosen and they are now working out the salvation of the coming lemon crop, along two or three promising lines, one of which will be selected, and, already, the advantage of the united action of these producers in an effort to sell their lemons satisfactorily, has become apparent. The orange crop was mainly contracted before organization. There are forty cars of oranges to be moved from here yet. Many of them are now ready to move and soon will spoil if not moved. The cortract generally signed was a one-sided thing and producers now see it as the fruit ripens, and they are unable to compel the other party to commence packing. The very existence of an association will help the producers next season. It is thought from one to two cars of lemons can be shipped monthly after May next.

AN ACTIVE CONSTABLE. AN ACTIVE CONSTABLE.

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Several weeks ago two hobos broke into Duncan's store but were frightened away with but little plunder. The Constable went after them promptly, pulled them off a brakebeam at Camulos, brought them in, recovered the goods and had them bound over. Several days ago in the absence of Kue Lee from his laundry a tramp Chinaman, who had enjoyed the hospitality of the other one, went in and carried away \$50 worth of coin, opium, revolver and trinkets. The Constable again set out, caught his man and secured all the booty but the cash. The fellow was duly examined and bound over to court on Saturday. Probably all three will plead guilty.

THREE WEDDINGS.

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Three weddings during the past fortnight were socially noteworthy. George Cole and Mrs. Z. H. Goodenough, both middle aged, were married, and the following week Glen Geodenough, son of the former bride, was married to Miss Octavia Kellogg. W. H. Thompson was Ventura county's Frank Wiggins at the World's Fair, and since has been known as an enthusiast for his adopted county. Lae: week he led Mrs. Franklin before Judge Williams at Ventura and they were made one.

FILLMORE BREVITIES. THREE WEDDINGS.

FILLMORE BREVITIES. THE ruins of the Burson store, destroyed recently by fire, have been removed and a neat new store erected to be occupied by James Duncan.

More than four inches of rain fell on Sunday night and Monday, butting the ground in splendid condition. The rainfall since August amounts to 18 inches and has been conveniently distributed to be of advantage. More will be needed to make the irrigation supply satisfactory.

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The Farmers' Club, recently organ-ized, will hold its first monthly meet-ing at Fillmore next Saturday. An interesting programme has been ar-ranged.

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The honesty in the making of Harrison's Town and Country Paints is without ques-tion. They give the service because they are properly prepared Experience and capital make them so.

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[London Household Words:] An Englishman and an Irishman were one dayholding an argument respecting the
nationality of various great men who
had lived and died. The Irishman had
successfully claimed each one mentioned
as a countryman of his own, till at
length the Englishman, somewhat nettied, inquired: "How about Shakespeare? Was he an Irishman?"
To which he received the reply:
"Well, Pean't say that he was altogether, but at all events he had the
abilities of one."

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[Detroit Free Free:] "I had a dreadful scare this morning; the whole of fice force ran out into the street.""

"Was the building on fire?"

"No: the janitor's dog had caught

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48c each.

Men's Unlaundered Shirts, long and short bosoms, Langdon G. B. Muslin, felled seams. Full grade.

50c each, 6 for \$2.75.

Men's Laundered Shirts, New York Mills Muslin, 2000 linen bosoms, open front and back, hand finished.

75c each, 6 for \$4.00.

Men's Utica Mills Nonpareil Muslin, hand finished throughout, 2100-linen bosoms. Fit guaranteed.

\$1.00 each, 6 for \$5.50.

Men's Night Shirts, heavy Pepperel twilled muslin, 52-inch.

50c each.

Men's Fine Madras Cloth Shirts, collars and cuffs attached, custom made, hand finished throughout.

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Your grocer may tell you he has flour at a less price that is just as good as

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113-115 N. SPRING ST.

The line of march is toward better times. The big rains, the growing crops, large shipments of oranges, big prices-all tend to make the incoming month a vast improvement over the last. The time for grumbling is past. The bright side should be placed in advance. There is a great business to be done by those who are on the alert and watchful. It is a steady push, and a push all together that will start the wheels to moving. The Domestic Department has been receiving new goods; the center of attraction at the present.

Odds and Ends to Close! Lots of Remnants

For Less than Cost

to close. All marked out at remnant price. A hint, and today should close the lot.

Just a few new things in the millinery to give life to the quiet season. Take a look at the coming shapes. No matter whether you buy or not.

The new leather belts-a sample line for the early spring trade; 200 or more styles.

NO TWO ALIKE.

You secure the assortment. Prices-25c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Something new in belts, with small handkerchief bags attached, 50c to \$2.00.

More new black capes for \$5.00 and \$6.00.

Lots of remnants in the black dress goods stock at closing prices.

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Buckwheat Cakes.

Do you remember, when you were boys and girls, what good buckwheat cakes your mother used to make? Did you ever stop to think how sue made them? Did you ever stop to think you could do the same if you tried? First get some of our Pure'New York State Buckwheat Flour that we are selling 6 ibs. for 25c. Next get some brewer's or homemade yeast, mix your batter and let it stand over night to rise, and we feel sure you will have the old-fashloned buckwheat cakes in the morning. Try it.

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Driving a bargain and nailing it, too, is wonderfully easy in Desmond's store, No. 141 South Spring street. It's so wonderfully easy, in fact, that no one can fail to secure good things if they make purchases at all. Everything you see is worth looking at, and everything looked at has a double value for scores of lookers. Desmond always fills his list with specialties and lines of upto-date hats, shirts, neckties, gloveshosiery, collars, cuffs, etc., etc., which people are watching for, and knowing fully what people want, he can antiol-

This afternoon and evening at the Merchants' Fair, the children of the Orphans' Home will have in operation the cooking school, sewing, tailoring, and kindergarten. Friends are urged to attend, as the Home receives 25 per cent of the preceives.

Rev. Henry Varley, the noted evan-gelist of London, Eng., will preach Sunday morning, Il o'clock, at the First Congregational Church, Sixth and His streets. Twilight communion service at 4:30 p.m. Evening service at 7:30. First United Presbyterian Church. Tomorrow night illustrated lecture by Mr. Logan. Fine colored stereopticon views under management of W. B. Flower. All seats free.

Concerning bikes, see the \$75 wheel for 60 cents; certain grocers keep them. You will not always have the chance.

Register names at St. George Stable, 10 S. Broadway, for tally-ho ride to asadena, Baldwin's ranch, Old Mission. First Baptist Church, Sunday. Dr. Read will preach at 11 a.m. and J. Hern-don Garnett at 7:30 p.m. All welcome. George A. Hough has removed his law office to room 353, Stowell Block, 226 South Spring street.

Gospel meeting of the Y.W.C.A., 107 North Spring street, Sunday 3:45 p.m. All women are invited. Indian and Mexican curios, Camp-bell's curio store, 325 South Spring

Take the Terminal Railway for the oppy fields. Train leaves at 9:30 a.m. Charles McFarland has removed by wo office to No. 137 South Broadway.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 5.-4[To the Editor of The Times:] Simple protein properties of the part of Great British mortites, skilfully permission of D. A. McRe on the Arbitration treaty.

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Mr. McRea admits the unkindness on the part of Great British administration of popular English minorities, skilfully manipulated by Parliamentary politicians to arouse the occupants of the opposition benches of the House of Agrainst the Ministry, cannot be accepted in palliation of the unwarying antagonism of English administrations to America.

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Arbitration.

LOS ANGELES Feb. 5, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I do not know why Mr. Dougherty should consider one Englishman equal to two Americans. I admit that the tendency of the times is toward the federation of mations, the abolition of war, and the state of the times is toward the federation of mations, the abolition of war, and and and America. Mr. Dougherty should consider one Englishman equal to two Americans. I admit that the tendency of the times is toward the federation of mations, the abolition of war, and the province of the times is toward the federation of particular to the province of the times is toward the federation of mations the abolition of war.

The inhabitants of this country are the proximity of an enemy serves to double his size and strength. However, "Vergeance is mine," said the

Over the surf line. Sixty miles along the ocean beach. Excursion tiekets good for four and thirty days at Santa Fé ticket offices.

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Products as Italian day and Labor day and an extensive programme was

arranged in accordance with that un-derstanding.

The heavy storm of the afternoon and evening went far to reduce the at-tendance of visitors which fell greatly below the high average of the present week. If the rain bad ceased failing earlier in the evening, no doubt the number of visitors would have equalled that of the preceding evening. ertheless, those to whom the special features of the evening entertainment appealed directly did all that was in their power to make the occasion a success in spite of the conspiracy of the elements outside.

After a short promenade concert by the band Charles Gale, one of the neatest dancers on the Coast, gave one of his fancy shuffles, which was repeated

after a vigorous encore.

Then followed a rip-saw contest between O. N. Parsons, C. Fisher, J. H. Haviland and C. G. Rust for a prize of \$5. At each end of a two-inch plank of Oregon pine wa smarked off five feet, and at a given signal the four men began sawing. For the first half of the distance the contest was close, but from that point Rust won out eas-

ily, making the time of 58s.

The singing of the Arion Quartette was well received and the singers were recalled several times. For an encore they gave an imitation of a German band, which took well with the crowd and in fact was done with true

street.

Take 'the Terminal Railway for the propyre fields. Train leaves at 3:20 a.m.
Charles McFarland has removed his law office to No. 137 South Broadway.
Peniel Hall, services tomorrow, Variey 2:39; Hadley 3:30; Varley 1:30.

Mexican drawn work, cheapest in the city Campbell's curio store.
Miss Nelson's musicale today 2 p.m.,
Temperance Temple.
Mexican leather goods at Campbell's.
To build up your boy see Bessing.
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There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for C. A. Henry and Robert Nordew (2.)
The regular monthly meeting of the King's Daughters will be held in the parlors of the First Methodist Church today at 2:30 p.m.

Ah Quan, the Chinese lottery proprietor, who bribed Deputy Constable Brakesuhler, was before Justice Morrison for preliminary examination yesterday, but the case was continued until February 13.
Henry Varley will address a meeting for men at the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon, taking as his subject, "The Curse of Manhod." This address given by Mr. Varley in be by ticket only, which may be obtained without charge at the office of the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon, taking as his subject, "The Curse of Manhod." This address given by Mr. Varley in be by ticket only, which may be obtained without charge at the office of the Varley for the State Loan and Trust Company, the following officers were reflected, with the exception of P. M. Green, whe resigned, and has place was filled by J. B Lanker esilim.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

The Arbitration Treaty—A Rejoinder to Mr. McRae.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 5.+(To the Editor of The Times.) Kindly permit me to ocupy a few more lines of your valuable paper in reply to the gentle manly communication of D. A. Mc.

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EVENING-GRAND FINALE

March, "Under the Double Eagle" Skirt dance-Tillie Baruch.

Bicycle races—Final races and award of prizes.
Bishop & Co.'s Quartette.
Fancy dancing by pupils of Prof. Simmons.

La Petti Coquet, by Miss Birdie Simmons, champion dancer of the Pacific

mons, champion dancer of the Pacific Coast. Double skirt dance, by Ethel Ingram and Lilian Belcher. Sleigh bell dance, by Ethel Ingram. Spanish fan dance, Miss Birdie Sim-Sailors' hornpipe, by Lilian Belcher. Animatoscope.

Buck and wing dancing, by Charles Gale. Closing ceremonies.
The Catalina Band will furnish the

regular promenade concert.

PERSONALS.

L. C. Hudson of St. Louis is at the W. E. Amden of San Francisco is at

B. Stevens and wife of Farrington Minn., are at the Ramona. Mrs. E. Barr and sister of Minneapolis are registered at the Ramona.

Ex-Superior Judge W. P. Gardiner of Los Angeles is at the Hotel Waldorf, New York. George E. King, wife and daughters of Des Moines, Iowa, are guests at the

Fulkerson Released.

J. L. Fulkerson, accused of running a lottery scheme under the guise of an insurance agency, was acquitted an insurance agency, was acquired yesterday by the jury in the United States District Court, under the instruction of Judge Wellborn which held that, unless it could be proven that Fulkerson had mailed, or caused to be mailed, the actual letter upon which the indictment was based, he could not be found guilty.

Mergel Brought Back.

Harry Mergel, the butcher boy who is accused of embezzling \$100 from his employer, and who was arrested in Fresno, was brought back back to this city by Deputy Sheriff Barnhill yesterday morning. Detective Goodman, who worked on the case, took Mergel before Justice Morrison in the afternoon and his examination was set for February 16. Bail was fixed at \$1500.

The Rotten Borough. [Stockton Record:] Nevada has sunk to the level that Louisiana occu-pied when her government was run to suit the lottery company. wants the prize fight and has passed a special bill to permit of her getting it. It is the first irrefutable evidence that the State is the "rotten borough" that it has been charged with being. When a State sinks to the point of encouraging prize fights by special acts of the Legislature, it is getting too low to recognize as a peer and the first opportunity should be taken to add some purifying territory from the outside. What would be the matter with allowing Los Angeles to annex itself to Nevada? The southern people are said to desire State division any way, and the City of Angels should be entirely satisfied with the acquisition of so vast a territory to rule—[Thanks—nein!—Ed. Times.] that it has been charged with being.

[Boston Transcript:] Fuddy. How isgraceful it is to see people crowd bout a church to get a squint at a Duddy. I know it, and when it ought to excite their pity instead of their morbid curiosity.

Licensed to Wed.

native of Texas, aged 18, both residents of Lamanda. Otto Hoepner, aged 31, and Margaret Roethel, aged 24, both natives of Ger-many and residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

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STRATHERN-In this city, February 4, 1897.
Herald D. Strathearn, aged 13 months.
Funeral 19:30 am, today, February 6, from
the residence, No. 518 Bernard street. Friends
invited. Inferment Rosedale.
RHEA-February 4, 1897. Charles E. Rhea,
aged 30 years 1 month and 21 days.
Funeral today (Saturday,) at 2 p.m., from
his, late residence, No. 837 Date street.
Friends invited.

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Tonight if the weather be fair. If the weather man in the Wilson Building makes rain the band will not be

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> oriental lace edging something
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> 2c: Cleaning up price
> Ladies' Box Frame Shopping Bag, with
> outside pocket, farmer satin
> lined and riveted handle,
> worth \$\mathbf{i}\$; Cleaning up
> price price 3.4.5-inch wide Fancy Gros Grain, sa edge, flowered, striped and shaded taffeta ribbons, worth 80c 9d; Cleaning-up price.

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Ladies' 26-inch Twilled Glorfa Umbrellas with natural Congo Oak and Dresden Ball handles, best para. 89°C gon frames and worth \$1.50;

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Schilling's French Shaped Corsets, well boned and perfect fitting, black Sateen and drab Couttil. a regular 81. 80 grade: Cleaning up today at.

Cleaning Up

Hosiery.

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Ladies' combination Pulse and Card Case, combined in fancy designed leather, worth 33c; Hundreds of styles of Stick Pins, with fancy stone, pearl, gold and moonstone settings, worth bbc; Tonight for.

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Tonight

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Shoes Tonight.

Children's Dongola Kid But-ton Shoes, patent leather tips, sizes 8½ to 10½; Tonight

Umbrellas Tonight.

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Hemstitched Huck Towels, good weight and all linen, worth lbc; to-night for Heavy Cream Table Damask, 10° for ... White Marseilles Flannel in woven patterns and heavy fleece lined, a regular 12%c goods; tonight for ... White Mark colorings, the 5c and 6%c value; tonight for ... Bleached Muslin 35 inches wide, good weight and no dressing, worth 7c; tonight for

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Fruits Want Protection Against

LEMONS REQUIRE ATTENTION

HOULD BE SHIPPED AT RIGHT

The Easterners are Slow to Learn the Value of Ripe Pickled Olives. Scheme to Extend the Area

Charles H. Perkins of Newark, N. J., an extensive dealer in California prod-ucts, is in the city and is quartered at the Ramona. He has been traveling about Southern and Central California for the past two months making inves-tigations as to this season's supply of fruits. He has completed his tour and, with his wife, who accompanies him. will leave Sunday morning on the Sun-set Limited for the East. Mr. Perkins is a member of the firm of Chase Bros. Company, nurserymen, of Rochester, N. Y., of Pierson & Perkins, bankers of Newark, N. J., and of C. H. Perkins & o., merchants of the same town.

Asked to give his views on the situa-tion as applying to California prod-ucts. Mr. Perkins hepiled he wouldn't like the California people to think he had come all the way out here to tell had come all the way out here to tell
them how to manage their affairs. Being assured that his experience in disposing of California fruits to eastern
consumers would no doubt afford valuable suggestions to western producers,
he consented to speak from his standpoint.

ORANGE PRODUCTION. "Regarding oranges," said, he, "when we consider that during the past year we consider that during the past year seven or eight thousand carloads were shipped from Southern California east-ward we must conclude that the annual shipments will reach 20,000 carloads five years from now. Southern California will no doubt be the greatest or ange-producing country in the world.
Ripe California navels grown on the
highlands are as good as any that can
be produced. If Florida is to be devastated by frosts as it has been, there can hardly be any doubt that there is a great future for California orange-growers, although some of the ranches did not pay very well a few years ago. With returns running from 50 cents, to 31 per box net, the orange ranches will pay very well where the trees are of fair age. A few years ago the eastern markets furnished little demand for California oranges on account of the acid-flavor they have as compared with the sweet Florida oranges. But that is all changed. O good ripe California orange is wanted in the eastern markets and will bring good prices. Even if Florida should become a large orange-producing 'State; the ofanges from there are ugually gone by the first of February. During the four months following is the best season to sell oranges and it is then that those from California some in at their best. "What are the chances for improvement in the way of transportation? can hardly be any doubt that there is

"What are the chances for improvement in the way of transportation? Well, I would say that the freight on a box of oranges from California topoints east of the Mississippi River is now 90 cents. This no doubt will be reduced as the production of California oranges increases. Certain it is that if the overland roads can run five trains loaded with California products where they now run cfly one, the rall-road companies will be willing to make a lower rate of freight. This will no doubt help the growers to a considerable extent. In fact the same policy that has governed the New York Central Rallroad in the East in the promotion of all home industries will have to govern the overland-roads in the near

"The matter of duty on all citrus and deciduous fruits should also re-ceive most intelligent attention. A "The matter of duty on all citrus and deciduous fruits should also receive most intelligent attention. A duty of 25 cents per box on oranges and lemons does not afford the protection that California orange and lemon ranchers should receive as against the cheap labor of Mexico and the cheap transportation from the Mediterranean. The annual importations of oranges from Sonora has, within two or three years, increased from nothing to hundreds of cars. But probably it will require united effort to obtain for the orange-growers of Southern California the protection they deserve and which the East would be willing to give, did it fully understand the subject. Eastern Congressmen will, however, scarcely be ready to increase the duty on oranges when it is heralded all over the country that every orange rangh is paying 10 per cent. interest on land costing from \$700 to \$1000 per acre. While there may be a few of them that do that, the average ranch of five, ten or twenty acres does not do it. Again, the interests of the orange and lemon-growers are identical with those of the transportation companies, and there is no reason why the powerful influence of the overland roads should not be enlisted to help increase that duty.

"For the marketing of oranges in the East there is a great future. The time has come, and is coming, when every American's table will have oranges on it for breakfast. The distribution of oranges has only been commenced. Villages of five, six or eight thousand people in the East now never have carloads of oranges shipped direct to them, where from one to five carloads could, and would be, consumed. The usual way is to send the fruit to large cities and distribute it from them, which involves extra local freights and a large number of commissions and profits before the oranges reach the consumer. The less commissions paid and the more direct the business is done, the better will be the returns to the orange ranchers.

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"The matter of lemon culture has not yet received such full attention as that of orange—growing, and some of the problems, such as that of curing the lemons, are not entirely solved. A great many of the lemons shipped from Mediterranean ports are picked green and cured while in transit in the holds of the vessels. These vessels are usually steamers making the passage are properly pickled, is good enough to bring an enormous demend in the matter of large cities, and it is a great question whether lemons can be picked green and cured while in transit in the holds of the vessels. These vessels are not the proposed of the proposed to the eastern markets of the feast.

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are obtained in summer, during which period the lemons are used most extensively. California lemons could be shipped and held in cold storage till they are wanted in the markets, but the eastern cold storage houses will not take in lemons on account of their giving off a pungent aroma that flavors everything else in the house. In a good many cities of the East cold storage houses for oranges and lemons are being built. Lemons could also be shipped green and cured in the banana rooms of about every city of the East. We import \$5,000,000 worth of lemons every year, and there is no reason but what can be solved why a part at least of this money should not be turned to the lemon-growers of California. "The packing of lemons by the Cali-

a part at least of this money should not be turned to the lemon-growers of California.

"The packing of lemons by the California producers should receive the closest attention. Customs are arbitrary, and, while a production may be equally as good, if it is not packed in a way the consumer is used to obtaining it, he will pass it by. The California packers should therefore study the sizes of boxes and the method of packing. There is no reason why every grower's name should not be stamped on the wrapper of the lemon, and why tinsels and spangles should not make the box more attractive when opened. The size of the box should be made to suit the convenience of the consumer. Lemons are unlike oranges, and can be picked in the grove usually to not over three sites. This is the way that most of them come from the Mediterraneau, and the California growers who is seeking to obtain this trade should profit by it. Within the past two years I have

DECIDUOUS FRUITS. about shipments of fresh de duous fruits?

"I am not acquainted with it, al-though I believe the day will come when they will ship whole traintonds though I believe the day will corre when they will ship whole trainfoads of cherries from the cherry walks of cherries from the cherry walks of cherries from the cherry walks in Russia. "With the trade in California evaporated fruits I have had a good deal to do in the past ten years, and believe this industry has only just commenced. Ten years ago dried apricots were never kept in stock by wholesale grocers in the East. Today they are a necessity and are carried as a staple, while the wholesale grocery and jobbing houses of Europe seem to know fully as much of the good qualities of a California dried apricot as our own houses. The demand in all the continental cities for dried apricots is much beyond the supply, and at remunerative prices.

ivealifornia prumes are to, well-known to say anything about them. I believe it is only a question of a few short years and of cheaper transportation when the sun of California will knock out the bake-ovens of France and Germany in the production of the beat prunes known. Prunes are dried in ovens in those countries, you know. 'I have been an extensive handler of raisins for some fifteen years and while the late depressions have caused poverty and want in some of the northern sections and the phylloxers disease has caused devastation in many vineyards I believe the low prices have been caused as much by the way the crop is grown as by anything else. When the raisin ranchers will look mote to quality than quantity, and when they will grow 'four crowns' and layers and clusters they will receive much better remuneration than when the bulk of their crops run to two and three crowns. The raisins of California mostly, while not as fine as those of Southern Spain in the thinness and silkiness of their seeds, are very good indeed. They are much better than the Valencias and are also a summer while a Valencia, which is the cheap raisin of the eastern markets, can only be used in cool weather, as it sugars and becomes rancid. California, however, does produce a raisin in the

while a Valencia, which is the cheap raisin of the eastern markets, can only be used in cool weather, as it sugars and becomes rancid. California, however, does produce a raisin in the Santa Ana Valley and especially in El Cajon that, were it grown in as careful manner as those of Southern Spain, would fairly equal the best Malaga.

Ten years ago California raisins and prunes were of little consequence in the markets of the East and the bulk of the consumption was of German and French prunes and Spanish and Valencia raisins, while today every wholesale grocer of the East carries a much larger stock of California raisins and prunes than that of imported ones. California has possession of the market almost as much in these litems as she does of oranges and, as has been said, if she will keep it by growing quality instead of quantity, she will get remunerative prices for her prunes and raisins. There is scarcely time to take up all the other items of dried fruits, but they are all wanted.

OLIVE DEVELOPMENTS.

OLIVE DEVELOPMENTS. "Olive production is a quest'on in which I am much interested, although "Olive production is a question in which I am much interested, although I have not had experience in it as in other lines. California olive oil is hardly known in the East. It has scarcely got over the Rocky Mountains. The production has usually been consumed by the clubs and otherwise west of the Rockies. The only chance we easterners have had to know how good it is has been when some of us have

as dried fruits, apricots, prunes, and raisins in the United Kingdom. But beyond all this, it would be valuable to California for the representative to gather information as to what other productions the State may furnish to the end that such industries may be transplanted to California. Every wholesale grocer and every wholesale grocer and every wholeasie druggist can give item after item of articles that can be grown or manufactured in California to the best advantage, and which are now imported from foreign countries. Today oranges and beans make the great bulk of all the freight going East overland. Why should not the list be much extended and be made much more varied and profitable?"

AN OBJECT LESSON.

NOUNCED SUCCESS.

of the Show-Interesting Sta factory Judgments as to the Prize-winners.

Tonight the Poultry, Pigeon and Pet-Stock Exhibition will close, and the birds of feather, symmetry and good society will cease to attract public at-tention for another year. The show has been a pronounced success from a fancier's point of view and also finan-cially, though the rain somewhat in-terfered with the attendance. As an object-lesson in poultry breeding. has been instructive as well as enter economic value of show is not to be overestimated. The people of California consume annually 14,000,000 dozen eggs of home production, worth \$3.450,000, and \$300,000 worth of poultry and not less than 2,500,000 hens are maintained in the poultry



THEODORE STERNBERG.

yards of the State. The annual mor hundred thousand people are more ern eggs and eastern poultry into the Los Angeles market has been corre-Los Angeles market has been correspondingly reduced. In an educational way the exhibitions of the Los Angeles Association have done much direct public attention to thoroughbred poultry and the result is forcibly shown by the increasing numbers of good fowls at these annual shows. Hen fruit and hen meat cut more of a figure commercially than our grain crop or the cattle industry.

Yesterday a bevy of the Riverside fanciers came up in a body. Among them were noticed F. W. Twogood, V. Tressiar and William F. Hislop. From Ventura, H. D. Ley was noticed in

Sheriff Burr of this county has been

THE PUBLIC SERVICE,

SCHEME TO DECORATE THE STREETS WITH SIGNS.

Desired-Reports Made.

SEARS GUILTY OF BURGLARY.

THE JURY TO AGREE.

Clary Trial Finished-Granp Sen Van Dyke.

At the City Hall yesterday the Board of Public Works tackled the ordinance repealing all ordinances relating to boiler inspection, and will recomme to the Council that the measure to the Council that the replaced on its passage. The ing street-sign proposition" been the subject of much discussion, was knocked out by the board, which ordered the papers in the case to be "filed." The Supply Committee pre-pared a report dealing with the poundkeeper's probity, the proper sort of garbage cans for the public's use, and the correctness of the bills for light at the Central Police Station.

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At the Courthouse vesterday Charles Sears was convicted of burglary in the first degree by a jury in Department One, and will be sentenced on Monday by Judge Smith. The Board of Supervisors transacted considerable business, and a decision was received from the Surreme Court in an appeal case from Riverside county. Fred Graap was sentenced to three years' imprisonment in Folsom on a burglary charge, to which he pleaded guilty, and the jury in the Levreau-Clary case rendered a verdict in favor of the defendant. Miller was awarded a judgment against Ballerino by Judge Van Dyke, and Judge Vork refused to grart a decree of divorce to Mary L. Lucas from William Alexander Lucas. The Alaniz trial went to the jury late in the afternoon, and a verdict for the contestants was returned in the evening.

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

THE BOILER INSPECTOR.

DISPENSE WITH HIM.

Uso with All Ordinances Relating to Boller Inspection—Ordinance Providing for This Will Be Placed on Its Passage.

Board of Public Works gave about thirty minutes of its valuable ordinance which has been drafted and which provides for the repeal of all ordinances having to do with boiler

which provides for the repeal of all ordinances having to do with boiler inspection.

As the office of Boiler Inspector is created by one of those ordinances, it can be seen that the repeal of them all means the extinction of the office. R. A. Ling represented the inspector before the board. He introduced a couple of engineers, one from the courthouse, who attempted to explain why the present ordinances should stand. These men admitted that many defects existed in the municipal laws on the subject, and admitted so much that Attorney Ling called the courthouse man down, rather sharply.

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The men who have sought to have a proper form and properly covered.

said, and then decided to recommend that the ordinance, repealing the biler, inspection ordinances be placed on its passage.

The men who have sought to have a franchise sold allowing the placing of street signs with advertising matter upon them in the business portion of the city, were given a quietus yesterday. The board moved that the petition be "filed," and the Council is quite certain to adopt the recommendation.

The bids for the Mateo-street railway franchise were considered by the board, but no action upon them was taken. C. A. Sumner, one of the lowest bidders, contended that his bid alone compiled with the provision of the franchise requiring the owner of the same to have right-of-way over certain private property, to be crossed by the railway. The point was not debated yesterday, with any fullness, the attorney for the bidders besides Mr. Sumner asking for a week's time in which investigate the matter and prepare for a discussion of the question involved.

The report of the board as prepared to be submitted to the Council next Monday is as follows:

"Recommend that petition from W. Mead, asking that the proceedings to widen Spencer street, be abandoned, be filed.

"Recommend that petition from Henry Urband, asking for employment, be referred to the Finance Committee.

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"Charles Sears appeared before Judge B. N. Smith and a jury in Department One yesterday for trial on a charge of burglary in the first degree. Assistant.

S. E. Foster et al., asking that a coment sidewalk be constructed on the south side of Forrester avenue between Hoover street and Vermont avenue, be referred to the City Engineer to present the necessary ordinance of intention.

tention.

"Recommend that petition from S. A. Rendail, asking that the grade of Lake avenue between Ninth and Eleventh streets he changed, be referred to the City Engineer.

"Recommend that petition from J. M. Stwart et al., complaining of the condition of Figueroa street between Eighteenth street and the southern city limits caused by the lack of facilities for caring for storm water, be referred to the City Engineer and Water Overseer to devise a remedy for the difficulty.

culty.

"Recommend that petitions from Addie N. Davidson et al., from C. H. White and from E. P. Bosbyshell, asking permission to construct a cement sidewalk on Orange street, be granted, "Recommend that petition from Mrs. D. C. Hanna et al., in reference to the improvement of Connecticut street be filed, as the work has aiready been ordered.

to the improvement of Connecticut street be filed, as the work has already been ordered.

"Recommend that petition from August Krug et al., protesting against the improvement of Vallejo street, be referred to the City Engineer for the necessary estimate of frontage.

"In the matter of the draft of franchise for street signs, referred to your board, we recommend that the draft of ordinance be filed.

"Recommend that petition from W. C. Bowman be granted and the Street Superintendent instructed to remove all obstructions from Spencer street as petitioned for.

"Recommend that petition from W. S. Bower et al., asking that gravel be replaced on Olive street, between First and Courthouse streets, be granted, and the Chief of Police instructed to have the work done by the chain gang.

"Recommend that protest from W. Noble et al., against the improvement of Peru street, from Fourteenth to Washington streets, be sustained, as the City Engineer reports that the grade of Peru street does not conform to the grade of intersecting streets, and all proceedings be abandoned.

"Recommend that ordinance repealing ordinances No. 2426 (new series) and ordinance No. 3330 (new series) be placed upon its passage.

"In the matter of petition No. 1140 from M. M. Hicks et al., asking that certain streets in the recently annexed Vernon district, be roaded up, recommend that the property-owners be allowed to road up said streets.

"Recommend that protest from R. E. Griffen et al., against the improvement of Griffes street, be filed.

"Recommend that the Street Superintendent be instructed to repair the crosswalk running from the southeast corner of Bueng. Vista and College streets to the northeast corner of same streets.

"Recommend that the deed from Charles J. Ellis and wife to the city for land near St. James Park, to be used as a public street, be accepted; the grading of said street to be paid from the park fund; also that the City Engineer be instructed to cestablish the grading of said street and prepare specifications for improvi

THE POUNDKEEPER

Also Garbage Cans and the Police Station's Bill For Light.

Garbage cans, the poundkeeper's character and the charges made for lighting the Gentral Police Station make a trinity of subjects dwelt upon in the Supply Committee's report to the Council as report was traditional to the council as report was traditional to the council as the council the council council as prepared yesterday.

self-explanitory:

"Your Supply Committee beg to re-port in the matter of petition No. 96 from T. H. Martin et al., asking an investigation as to the qualifications of

Henry Urband, asking for employment, be referred to the Finance Committee.

"Recommend that petition from Charles L. Batcheller et al., calling attention to the condition of the streets at the intersection of Tweifth and Los Angeles streets, be referred to the City Engineer.

"Recommend that petition from A. Niemeyer et al., asking that the grade of Eleventh street from Central avenue extending west 600 feet, be established, be granted, and the City Engineer instructed to present the necessary ordinance.

"Recommend that petition from H. G. Wilshire, et al., asking that a cement walk be constructed on Seventh street from Hoover to Alvarado street, be filed.

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the time occupied by Sears and his mistress. Minnie Cota. Sears himself was arrested in a tent on Alameda street near the Arcade depot, where a great deal of other stolen property was found.

Minnie Cota was called to the witness-stand, and testified that she had lived with Sears and had occupied a room in the Buena Vista House with him. She admitted that Sears had brought the trunk to the room one morning just before daylight, and stated that he was assisted by a boy named Pete McIntyre.

Officer Talamantes testified to going to the room in the Buena Vista House, where he found the trunk and also found some of the clothing deposited under the bied.

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Sears took the stand in his own d by the name of Middleton, for a dollar and finding the trunk and the rest of the stolen goods under a staircase leading from old St. Vincent's College, and in an alley between Hill street and Broadway, entering Sixth street. The watch he claimed to have purchased from a man whose name he did not know. Sears stated that he made a business of collecting junk from ash barrels, and that this was net an unusual haul he had made in this case. The fallacy of his story was evident when one examined the contents of the trunk, as nearly everything in it was either almost new or in very good condition. The case was submitted withour argument by the counselfect to

our argument by the counsel for the State, and one ballot was sufficient to show their unanimous verdict of guilty. Sears will appear before Judge Smith for sentence next Monday morning.

The Jury Decides That He Paid the

The Levreau-Clary case, which as been on trial for some days before Judge Allen, sitting for Judge York in Department Three, went to the Jury at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and a verdict for the defendant was agreed upon. This trial was a second hearing of the case, the other trial having been before Judge York in 1895. having been before Judge York in 1895. The issue was whether or not a certain receipt had been given the defendant by the plaintiff in payment for some property in Redondo Beach. This the plaintiff denied, and the defendant claimed that the remainder of the sum due Levreau from him, \$1200, had been lessened to \$1000 upon the stipulation that the money should be immediately forthcoming. The receipt offered by the defendant was for that \$1000, and the plaintiff alleged that the receipt had been forged.

Six interpresentation were given to the

the plaintiff alleged that the receipt had been forged.
Six interrogatories were given to the jury to be answered by an affirmative or negative and they all were answered in the affirmative, declaring, in substance, the genuineness of the receipt. One of the interrogatories was as follows: "Did the plaintiff agree with the defendant after September 4, 1894, and before February 7, 1895, to accept of the defendant the sum of \$1000 as full satisfaction and discharge of the installments maturing January 1, 1895; September 1, 1895; January 1, 1896, and September 1, 1896?" The answer was yes.

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Another of the interrogatories was:
'Did the defendant pay to the plaintiff, between September 4, 1894, and February 7, 1895, the sum of \$1000 in full satisfaction. and discharge of the installments maturing January 1, 1895, to September 1, 1896?" The answer to this question was also yes. The verdict confirms that of the former trial, and the allegation of forgery rests unproved.

Letter of Inquiry.

Judge Clark received the following pistle a few days ago from a correapistle a few days ago from a corre-spondent who has evidently not been apistic a few days ago from a correspondent who has evidently not been a great while on this side of the water:

"Hon. Probad Jugge. Dear Sir: I am dropping this two lines of be kind to and let me know by asking a question. As intended to marry maybe in week or so; and I like know, as have not much money to spare how much it would cost me to get my license of matrimony, and also if it could be done without having it to published on the news paper or not, as the parents of the girl would like to avoided if it is possible to do so. Now then dear Sir please make this favor as soon as you can. Respectfully yours."

As the party who wrote the letter resides in the city, it is remarkable that he did not call and inquire what he wished to know, without the above painful effort. Judge Clark turned the letter over to Sam Kutz, who, ever willing to act the role of Cupid, penned a love-letter to the party seeking advice upon so momentous a question, telling him of the wonderful things that may be accomplished in room 10 for the paltry sum of \$2.

SUPREME COURT.

A decision was received here yesterday from the Supreme Court in the case
of Matthew B. Ogden, appellant, against
E. J. Davis and W. A. Hoyt, respondents, reversing the decision of the

of Matthew B. Ogden, appellant, against E. J. Davis and W. A. Hoyt, respondents, reversing the decision of the lower court.

Ogden was given a judgment in the lower court against C. E. Packard in a suit for foreclosure of a mortgage, and Packard appealed that decision to the Supreme Court, where it was affirmed. The suit which was decided by the opinion received yesterday was an action against the sureties. A non-suit was granted in the Superior Court, and the plaintiff appealed the case.

This suit was for \$2000 damages for alleged waste of the mortgaged property, and for \$8584.05 claimed by the plaintiff to be due him from the sale of the premises. The case was nonsuited on the ground that the alleged waste of the mortgaged land was not proven.

The opinion of the Supreme Court is, in substance, as follows: The ground upon which the case was non-suited in the lower court, that waste of the premises had not been proven, was decision from friends and acquaintances in San Francisco.

After reading the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had stied to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had could from prace, as the letters 'mentioned the stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had could full from grace, as the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had could full from grace, as the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had could full from grace, as the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had could full from grace, as the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had could from grace, as the letters Judge Smith stated to the defendant that he had couldn't that he had couldn't that he had couldn't had chive the defendant that he had couldn't had che that that h

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The opinion of the Supreme Court is, in substance, as follows: The ground upon which the case was non-suited in the lower court, that waste of the premises had not been proven, was well taken. It has been repeatedly settled that sureties upon such an obligation are entitled to stand-upan the express terms of their agreement.

The other grounds of non-suit urged related to the second cause of action by which a judgment for deficiency was scught. It was contended that the penal amount of the bond to cover a deficiency should have been fixed by the court and that the proofs in the case fail to disclose that any such order was made. This objection the supreme Court holds is untenable. The bond named the penal sum of \$2000, and recited that this sum was the amount fixed by the judge of the court. The sureties equally with the principal are bound by such recital.

The sureties bound themselves in the sum of \$2000 to make good not only any damage which might arise from waste, but any deficiency judgment which might remain after sale of the mortgaged premises. If the \$2000 were consumed by a judgment for waste, but any deficiency judgment which might remain after sale of the mortgaged premises. If the \$2000 were consumed by a judgment for waste, but any deficiency But if no damage for waste were recovered, the full amount of \$2000 was available to make good any deficiency. Upon the trial it was shown that there was a deficiency exceeding \$8000. It was a deficiency that arose strictly within the terms and provisions of the bond. For that deficiency the sureties are responsible to the extent of \$2000.

The court holds finally that the non-suit upon the second cause of action was improperly granted, and the judgment is revered and the cause is remanded with directions to the trial court to sustain the motion for non-suit upon the cause of action for asset.

and to deny the motion to non-suit upon the cause of action for deficiency.

CAN'T- HAVE 'A DECREE. May Find Sources of Mutual For-

The suit of Mary I. Lucas against William Alexander Lucas, for a decree of divroce, was tried a short time ago before Judge York in Department Three, and the court took the case under advisement. Yesterday, Judge York are advisement.

Three, and the court took the case under advisements. Yesterdays Judge York rendered a written opinion in regard to the suit, denying a decree to the farties, and as so many divorces are granted and so few refused, the opinion is livere given.

A sensational complaint, alleging many grounds for divorce, but principally cruelty, was followed by a cross-complaint, containing no less vindictive allegations. The principals have two very pretty little girls, and quite a pathetic scene was canacted in the courtroom during the progress of the trial, by the smaller of the two children. The little one ran to her father while he was on the witness-stand and climbed up into his lap, declaring that her greatest affection was for him and not for her mother.

The testimony of the trial only developed a case of continual wrangling, and but few, if any, of the allegations on either side, except as to their actions toward each other, were proven. The following is the opinion:

"The plaintiff has alleged and proven extreme cruelty by the defendant has alleged and proven, in a lesser degree, extreme cruelty by the plaintiff to him. The plaintiff has produced sufficient corroboration of her cause of action against the defendant. He has produced corroborative testimony, but not sufficient to entitle him to a divorce, even if his cause were not off set by the plaintiff scause against him. "Section III of the Civit Code, pro-

vorce, even if his cause were not off set by the plaintiff's cause against him. set by the plaintiff's cause against htm.
"Section 111 of the Civit Code, provides that a divorce must be denied upon a showing of recrimination; and section 122 defines recrimination to be a showing by the defendant of any cause of divorce against the plaintiff in bar of the plaintiff's cause of divorce. While a divorce could not be granted to the defendant because of lack of corroborative evidence, it does

ort of recrimination.
"Section 130 of the Civil Code, which cohibits the court from granting a robibits the court from granting a livorce upon the uncorroborated state-nent, admission or testimony of the ment, admission or testimony of the parties, cannot be construed as an immoltion against giving full weight to uncorroborated evidence of a party in support of a plea of recrimination on such uncorroborated evidence.

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"In this case there is ground for hope that the parties may find sources of mutual forgiveness in the humiliation of mutual guilt. Their children are young and deserving of the mutual protection of the parties and there is in this circumstance an additional ground for hope of reconciliation. I hold that neither party is entitled to a divorce. Let judgment be entered accordingly."

BALLERINO MUST PAY.

Charles W. Miller Gets a Judgment

Ballerino must pay Charles W. Miller \$399.50 and costs of the suit which was on trial before Judge Van Dyke yesterday in Department Four. Miller brought the suit to regain wages for work performed for Baflerino, and

for work performed for Ballerino, and alleged in the complaint that he had labored 513 days and received but \$50.50 therefor. He asked the court to award him judgment at the rate of \$2 per day for the days of work for which he had not been paid.

Miller's work consisted in leveling ground fro the erection of cribs, assisting in building them, and various other odd jobs of work around Alameda street and Nigger alley. Ballerino claimed to be short of money at the time, and has continued to put Miller off until patience ceased to be a virtue. Judge Van Dyke allowed the plaintiff a judgment for 200 days' work, and ordered that the defendant pay Miller \$399.50 and costs of suit. Ballerino was dissatisfied with the verdict, and stuck to it that he had employed Miller with the understanding that his remuneration was to be taken out in house-rent.

Granp to Penal Servitude. Fred R. Graap appeared before Judge mith in Department One yesterday and plead guilty to a charge of bur-A Riverside County Judgment Reversed and Cause Remanded.

A decision was received here yesterday from the Supreme Court in the case of Matthew R. Ogden appelled to

window. He stated when arrested that he wished to plead guilty and begin at once to serve his sentence, and he evidently hoped for a much lighter, sentence than he received.

A DECISION BY JUDGE VAN DYKE. Judgment for Plaintiff in the Case of Billeke vs. Aull.

A decision was entered by Judge Van Dyke yesterday in Department Four awarding the suit of A. C. Bilicke against J. E. Aull, et al., on a note and mortgage. The decison reads in sub-stance as follows: This action is brought upon a promi-

stance as follows:

This action is brought upon a promisory note secured by a chatel morting age covering personal property in the Hollenbeck Cafe. The defendants, other than Aull, the mortgage, contesting the action are his creditors. The note and mortgage bear the date of April 1, 1895, and the mortgage was executed and acknowledged on that day, but was not recorded until January 23, 1896. Between those dates the claims in favor of the defendants contenting accrued, and they had no notice of the existence of the mortgage at the time. It is urged in their behalf that they extended credit to Aull on the strength of his being in possession of the property in question at the time. Subsequently, and before the bringing of the suit, the plaintiff obtained possession of the property and still holds it under the mortgage.

On behalf of these contesting creditors it is contended that the mortgage is void; first, because some of the articles embraced therein are not covered by the provisions of the code; and second. because the mortgage was not re-

corded when the credit was extended. Even if the mortgage included some articles not covered by the last amendment of the code, the mortgage for that reason would not be void as to the article subject to a chattel mortgage.

By the Code a mortgage of personal property is-s void as against-creditors of the mortgagor and subsequent purchasers and encumbrances of the property in good faith and for value, unless, in addition to being properly acknowledged and certified, it be recorded in like manner as grants of

recorded in like manner as grants of real property. Several authorities are here quoted in support of this clause. The defendants in this case have not brought suit by attachment or otherwise to enforce their claims against Aull or his property. They are mere general creditors and have not, therefore, put themselves in a position to contest the action on the part of the plaintiff to enforce his lien. Judgment will go in favor of the plaintiff as prayed.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

College to Promulgate a Higher Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday in the clerk's office for a cor-poration that shall be known as the College of Fine Forces. The purpose for which this corporation is formed use of solar and water baths, massage, mental and psycho therapy, electricity, sun-charged substances and other re-fined natural agencies for upbuilding the human system; also to confer ap propriate degrees upon graduates; to receive by gifts, devise, bequest or pur-chase, and to hold, mortgage, sell and otherwise dispose of all kinds of propotherwise dispose of all kinds of Property, and to transact all necessary business. E. D. Babbitt, W. C. Bowman, W. E. Pritchard and J. A. Harriman of Los Angeles and Thomas Neimes of Pasadena, are the directors named.

ALANIZ WILL BROKEN.

The Jury Decide in Favor of the

Contestants. .
The Alaniz will contest, that has een on trial before Judge Clark and a jury for the past two weeks in Department Two, is at last over. Yester-day was consumed by argument of counsel and the case went to the jury late yesterday afternoon.

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The jury returned a verdict shortly after 7 o'clock in the evening in favor of the contestants, and declaring the will broken. The document in question was executed by Mrs. Conception Alaniz, and gave the bulk of her propery to Mrs. Casenave, her niece. The contestants of the will were other nieces and nephews of the deceased, and contested the will on the ground that the old lady was incompetent and unsound mentally at the time of its execution.

WOULDN'T TAKE GALLARDO Insane Asylum Authorities Didn's

Alfred Gallardo, who was sent to the

nsane asylum at Highland by Judge Smith and a jury in Department One a few days ago, was not hospitably re-ceived at that institution. The asylum authorities telegraphed that he would have to be committed after a medical examination, or he could not stay there As soon as Judge Smith heard of the matter, he cited section 1370 of the Penal Code to the Highland people, which settled all dispute. That section

reads as follows:
"If the jury find the defendant sand "If the jury find the defendant sane, the trial must proceed, or judgment be pronounced, as the case may be. If the jury find the defendant insane, the trial or judgment must be suspended until he becomes sane, and the court must order that he be in the meantime committed by the sheriff to the State insane asylum, and that upon his becoming sane he be redelivered to the Sheriff."

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown

TO RESTRAIN SALE AND RE-LEASE ATTACHMENT. A suit was filed yesterday by Harriet E. Hardesty against W. P. Fuller & Co. and Con-stable H. H. Yonkin praying the court for an order restraining the sale of and releasing the attachment on lot 258 of Grider & Dow's Adams-street

JUDGMENT BY STIPULATION. The case of J. F. Joyce vs. R. Jordan came up before Judge Shaw in Department Five yesterday, and a judgment for the plaintiff was entered by stipulation. The action was on a mechanic's lien and the judgment was in the sum of \$608, costs of suit and attorney's fees, and foreclosure as prayed for.

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE. Maurice S. Hellman has filed a suit against Maria Jesus Yorba de Scully to quiet title to certain property on Main street commencing at a point ninety-two feet north of the northwest corner of Third and Main sreets and running depth of 165 feet from Main.

SACHS DISCHARGED. The case of the People vs. W. Sachs for selling-liquor without a license was dismissed yesterday by Justice Young. Mrs. Sachs, the wife of the defendant, had recently been tried and fined on a similar charge, and the evidence against him was insufficient to convict.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE. Maud Hart filed a suit for divorce against Abram Hart on the ground of neglect and fail-ure to provide yesterday.

FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRA-FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRA-TION. A petition for letters of admin-istration for the estate of Mrs. Hattle Lyman, deceased, was filed yesterday by E. M. Lyman. The estate consists of ten acres of land in this county valu-ued at \$5000, and mortgaged for \$2000, and a mortgage of \$2700 on property in Illinois.

SUIT FOR WAGES. G. Kloeckner filed a suit yes erday against the Gila Valley. Globe and Northern Railway Company for \$29.04, alleged to be due plaintiff from defendant for services performed.

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE. James Adams filed a suit against Manuel Cota yesterday to quiet title to lot-5 in block 13, of the Childs tract, and 200 other lots in this county.

DECISION AFFIRMED. Judge Shaw affirmed the decision of the Justice Court yesterday for the plaintiff in the sum of \$20. in the attachment suit of J. S. Underwood against S. Bretz.

ESTATE OF R. T. COULTER. A petition was filed yesterday by B. F. Coulter, Sr., for letters of administration to the estate of R. T. Coulter, deceased. The estate consists of real estate to the value of \$600 and personal property valued at \$9000. IS A CITIZEN NOW. Louis M. Paul-son, a native of Denmark, was admitted to citizenship by Judge Clark yesterday in Department Two. Paulson is an old soldier, and fought in the late unpleas-antness.

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tee, with power to act. The requisition stated that bids should be asked for at once, as it is necessary to care for maps now made, costing over \$2000.

The bond of T. V. Johnson, who was tranted a license Thursday to conduct

a saloon at Newhall, was presented and approved.

Supervisor Davis was authorized and directed to have a bridge built on the Long Beach and sugar-factory road by the Excelsior Bridge Company, who agree to furnish all material and construct the bridge for the sum of \$170.40. The bride is to be twenty-two feet long, with a roadway twenty feet wide. A leave of absence was granted W. H. Harrison, Justice of the Peace of Redondo Township, from Los Angeles county for thirty days, dating from February 1.

A petition from Spurgeon V. Riley, County Superintendent of Schools, asking that a typewriter operator be permanently stationed in his office, was denied.

ing that a typewriter operator be permanently stationed in his office, was denied.

A petition from T. J. Fleming, the County Treasurer, for a deputw from February I for one month, making two deputies employed in the treasurer's office, was granted, and the salary to be pald fixed at \$75.

The petition of a number of residents of the fown of Santa Monica for a change in the name of the "Town of Santa Monica School District," was read and referred to the County Superintendent of Schools.

A. H. Merwin, County Tax Collector, was granted a clerk as license inspector for the month of February, at a salary of \$75 per month, and a clerk for the same length of time and on the same salary to assist in making the State deeds.

Theodore Summerland, the County Assessor, was also granted one clerk in charge of new maps, at \$85 per month; seven clerks to work on the maps; three clerks on tax sales, deeds, redemptions, etc.; an office clerk, and a clerk for transcribing patents from the Land Office, all on salaries of \$75 per month, for the month of February.

The following resolution was duly adopted on motion of Supervisor Hanley: "Resolved, that the sum of \$750 is hereby authorized to be paid out of the immigration fund to the Cham-

scribed.

A petition from property-holders that the streets and alleys of Daud's subdivision, except Fifth and A streets; of lot 2, Byram, Patterson and Miller's subdivision of the Child's tract rancho, San Rafael, be vacated, and the same be returned to acreage, was set for hearing on February 23.

A petition that the present boundary of the Machado School District be changed, was depied, in accordance changed, was depied in accordance

changed, . was denied, in accordance with the opinion of the County Super Clara Rose Becker's petition to va-

cate certain lots in Aspinwall and Becker's subdivision of lot 3, block 17, of
Lar'nnda Park was granted. The petition of Caroline Becker, et al., to vacate certain lots and streets in P. Robertson's addition to the town of Lamanda was set for hearing on February 23.

The boundaries of the Encinal School District were named, and the district formed, in accordance with the report of the County Superintendent of Schools, revising the boundaries asstated in the original petition of the residents.

The boundaries of the Elizabeth Lake and Del Sur school districts were changed in accordance with the petition originally filed, it having been declared advisable by the County Superintendent.

On motion of Mr. Wirsching the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, that no allowance for extra hours or for Sunday or legal-holiday work be allowed, unless the same be previously authorized by this board, upon an application in writing, duly verified, showing the necessity for the same, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the beads of all denort.

for a license to run a restaurant at Agricultural Park, and of Andre Korthe Santa Monica Cañon, were both ap-

The applications for revocation of a saloon license held by George Betz at Ramona, and of a restaurant license held by Edwin James at Canta Monica Cañon, were set for hearing on February 17.

Good Templars.

At a meeting of Pasadena Lodge, No. 173, on Tuesday night, the following officers were installed: Miss Gertrude Ralston. Past Chief Templar; Mrs. Zana Terpenning, Chief Templar; Mrs. Sama Terpenning, Chief Templar: Miss Myrtle Shaw, Chaplain: Mrs. Shultz-Pierce, Superintendent Juvepile Templars; J. A. Westing, Financial Secretary: R. Culver, Treasurer; Harry E. Myers, Marshal; Mrs. Olive Fryer, Deputy Mashal; Arthur Stonehouse, Guard; A. E. Baldwin, Sentinel. Among the other events of the evening was an interesting address by Mr. Gilford, a. Grand Lodge member from Maine, regarding the work in his State.

At a meeting of Merrill Lodge, No. 99, I.O.G.T., last Monday evening the following officers were elected, and will take office next Monday evening, February S: Chief Templar, J. H. Bean; V.T., Miss M. Reed; Secretary, F. Askew: Treasurer, Miss M. Bunn. On the night of installation there will be a social lodge session.

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Is Too Large.

Large Grist of Minor Business Trans

The Board of Supervisors met again yesterday morning and on motion of Supervisor Hanley, the resignation of William Dickerson as Constable of San Antonio township, on account of

his intended departure from the county, was duly accepted.

A requisition for supplies from County Surveyor E. T. Wright, for a map case, cast with boards, etc., and costing about \$140, was read and referred to the chairman of the Building Commit-

granted a license Thursday to conduct a saloon at Newhall, was presented and

ley: "Resolved, that the sum of \$750 is hereby authorized to be paid out of the immigration fund to the Chamber of Commerce, to be by them used solely in preparing and distributing literature properly advertising the resources of Los Angeles county, for the purpose of inducing immigration." This resolution was adopted in response to a request from the officers of the Chamber of Commerce that a sum of \$1000 be appropriated as above described.

A petition from property-holders that

same, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the heads of all depart-ments."

The applications of Thomas Bartlett

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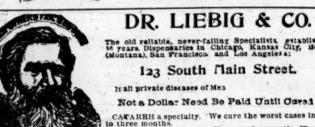
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WILLIAM R. STAATS,

Notice to Stockholders.

Bonton Water Company.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-holders of the Bouton Water Company will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 2th. 187, at eleven o'clock a.m., at the general offices of the company, corner First and Myers sts., city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, Califortonia, for the purpose of electing directors to nia, for the purpose of electing directors to serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the ensuing year. Or until their serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the ensuing year. Or until their serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the ensuing year. Or until their serve during the ensuing year, or until their serve during the property of the

Proposals.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE Sacondido Irrigation District will receive saied proposals for the purchase of \$4500, or saied proposals at their office in Escondido. Cal, received at their office in Escondido. Cal, and if 9 o'clock a.m., February St., 1897, Said each, onds are of the denomination of \$500 each, onds are of the denomination of \$500 each, and \$1000 each, or said their office in the said their or said their or

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Crops and Markets

Another heavy rainstorm has brought the rainfall of the season above the average for this period. Reports from all sections of Southern California are rapidly, and the rains have caused an abundant growth of pasturage of ex-cellent quality. Seeding is about fin-ished in the southern sections and plowing for corn has begun.

Orange picking was somewhat inter-ered with by the rain, but is now going forward again steadily. Prices are well maintained. According to recent advices from New York, the shipments from Jamaica are smaller than usual this year, while no oranges are com-ing from Cuba, and as the Florida crop is once more a failure, the country will have to look to California for its sup-

The dried fruit market has been quiet during the week, with comparatively little inquiry. Eastern evaporated apples have been arriving in large quan-

that much higher prices are still paid for imported dried fruits than for the

'As attractive and toothsome as any of high-class fruiterers and grocers are such choice dried fruits as Malta dates. of high-class fruiterers and grocers are such choice dried fruits as Malta dates. These come neatly packed in fancy boxes holding a pound of the fruit on one stem, and cost 50 cents. Small boxes of stuffed dates, the kernel of a pecan nut being substituted for the seed, cost 25 cents. Large Smyrna figs, tightly pressed into wooden boxes, cost 30 cents a pound. Carefully selected "pulled figs," known as Royal Locoum, from Turkey, their natural form retained, cost 35 cents a pound, and extra large pulled figs, sixteen of the fruits to a pound box, sell for 50 cents. Square packages, holding four pounds of choice layer figs in attractive silk covers, cost \$1.50. Extra-sized California prunes may be bought for 15 cents a pound; choice French prunes, exteemed for their rich flavor and more tender skin, cost 25 cents a pound in bulk and 40 cents in glass jars. Wiesbaden stuffed prunes, the seed space—filled—with the fiesh of other prunes, are regular articles in trade. Malaga cluster raisins of the high grade known as Five Crown, cost \$1.60 for a five—pound box, or 35 cents for a single pound, while the best California raisins cost 20 cents a pound."

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Tariff on Citrus Fruits.

The following is an address to the cit-rus fruit-growers of California, which was prepared by a committee consist ing of the following citizens of the southern counties: E. F. C. Klokke, Orange county; F. Q. Story, Los Angeles county; N. W. Blanchard, Ventura county; B. A. Woodford, San Bernardino county; E. P. Hollister, Santa Barbara county; T. B. Chamberlain, Riverside county Hutchinson, Kern county, and C. D. Willard, secretary, Los Angeles county.
The office of the committee is with the Chamber of Commerce, and the treasurer is E. F. C. Klokke, to whom

"Immediately upon the inauguration "Immediately upon the inauguration of President McKinley, Congress will be convened in extra session for the purpose of enacting a tariff law, which will have for its foundation principle the protection of American industries and the placing of American products on a fair footing in the home market as aganist importations from abroad.

"Upon one item of the new tariff law—that covering citrus fruits—depends the prosperity of every Californian engaed in this industry. The question f whether our oranges and lemons are or whether our oranges and lemons are to command a fair price in the eastern market, or whether they shall drop ungathered from the trees, will be decided by Congress within a few months; and as it is then decided, so it is likely to remain for several years to come.

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"Aroused by this serious condition of affairs, a mass-meeting of citrus fruiting growers was held at the Chamber of Commerce in Los Angeles, December 26, 1896, at which representatives from every county in Southern California and from several counties of Central California were present. At this meeting it was decided to enter upon an active campaign to secure for the citrus industry the recognition to which it is fairly entitled from our government, and to 'that end it was decided to raise a fund by subscription from the growers of citrus fruit on the following basis:

The article published in The Times last week in which the statement of Mr. Hoag of Redlands regarding the expense and profits of orange groves in counties of this section. Two communications on the subject are published this week, one from Mr. Hoag and another from A. H. Rea and another from A. H. Rea and another from Ar. H. Rea and another from Mr. Hoag explains that the figures given by him referred

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an industry which has been one of the chief attractions of California.

"Many growers, halling as they do from nearly every State in the Union, have friends in Congress or the Senate. It is earnestly urged by the committee that they write them without delay, and solicit their support in favor of a measude so greatly needed. The committee would further ask that all growers having any information, or sources of information that can be utilized in furtherance of the interest at stake should send the same to the secretary of the committee."

Commenting upon the difficulty which has been experienced in getting the fruit-growers of this State to work

has been experienced in getting the fruit-growers of this State to work together for their own interests, the agricultural editor of the San Francisco Chronicle recently made the following truthful observations:

It does not seem, that our fruit-growers can stand prosperity. The good receipts by citrus-growers in Southern California seem to have made many growers feel independent of the exchanges and inclined to compete with them. The winemakers got excited and paid the growers such prices for grapes that they were compelled to put the price of wine at a figure which invited-a break in the market, and a contest is now on between the corporation and outsiders. The faithful efforts of the California Fruit Growers' and Shippers' Association to impart some stability and certainty to the eastern fresh fruit market result in more censure for what they have failed to accomplish than commendation for what they have secured. Competent men who attempt to further the growers' interest can get their living by exploiting the growers prefer it, as apparently they do. Every public meeting of farmers that assembles resolves in favor of "coöperation," but not one farmer in a thousand who wotes for these resolutions could be prodded with pitchforks into actually coöperating.

The Pigeon Pea

columns to a new and valuable forage plant, known as the pigeon pea, which is being introduced in this section by Jerome Caldwell, the nurseryman. In that article reference was made more particularly to the utilization of the pea for human food. It is suggested that this plant would be excellent for hog feed. It is a rapid grower yielding two crops annually, one a heavy crop and the other lighter.

Pure Fertilizers.

providing for the prevention of adulteration in fertilizers. The proposed bill was recently published in these col-umns. It is to be hoped that this bill, or something similar, will become a law. Several of the eastern States have found it necessary to adopt such a measure. In one State, previous to the passage of a bill of this kind, it was found that practically all the fer-tilizers on the market were largely adulterated. Olives in Northern California.

Some time ago The Times made a ture had not proved a success north of the Tehachepi, and that it was doubtful whether the industry could ever be made successful on a large scale in Northern California. The statement met with much adverse criticism from the press of the northern part of the State. A confirmation of the assertion made by The Times is found in a recent article published in the Pacific Rural Press, describing the failure of one of the largest olive orchards in the northern part of the State-that of E. normern part of the state—that of Er. Goodrich, at El Quito, in Santa Clara county. It is a tract of eighty acres, planted by Mr. Goodrich with the choicest Italian olives for oil. The orchard contains about four thousand trees. They were grafted on Mission stock in 1888 with the finest Italian vastock in 1888 with the finest Italian valast year was eighty gallons of oil. It is not said that the olive will not thrive anywhere north of the Tehachepi, but so far the evidence of those who have looked into the matter is that, as

"The money thus obtained wilk be used with economy and care in the sending of several able advocates of this industry to Washington and in the gathering of data for their use."

"You be reliands. Mr. Hoag explains that the figures given by him referred to the cost of groves that were set out seven years ago. It is, however, hardly fair to charge orange groves with land purchased during the boom, at from

It is also true that now, and since last November, money can be had at \$ percent. but for five to seven years before that time the rule on country security was 10 per cent. Then, again, you think my estimate of income is too low. It must be remembered that my estimate was for an average, and while some orchards may give more than my estimate. I am sure that my figures are high for an average. I have brehards seven, five and four years old that I planted and have cultivated to the present time, and they are all good ones, above the average, and my figures are based upon actual cost and receipts, and I find my neighbors make about the same figures.

My argument was to show the importance of present protection to those now seeking a market for oranges, and my opinion is that that necessity will increase in the future, as the crops of fruit increase in this and foreign countries, notwithstanding the expense of growing them in this country may decrease.

I. N. HOAG.

FUTURE OF THE INDUSTRY.

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FUTURE OF THE INDUSTRY.

REDLANDS, Feb. 2, 1897.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In publishing I. N. Hoag's paper on the cost of producing oranges, you have introduced a topic well worthy of discussion.

Mr. Hoag's estimate is conservative—

A few sheep can be kept very ducing oranges, you have introducing oranges, you have introduced a topic well worthy of discussion.

Mr. Hoag's estimate is conservative-too much so, For one item, he saws nothing about taxes, which most orange growers find a heavy burden, as both land and trees are now taxed. His wafter assessment is too low; our water supply here in Rediands is the best in Southern California, and the state in Southern California and the state in Southern California and the state in Southern California or the states that they are now worth only 50 cents, ingtend of \$1; this is nothing to the case. Trees and the bulk of planting was done the trees were more expensive. At that time thousands were sold for \$2, cach, other thousands for \$1.50, and but few for \$1.52.

Speaking generally, the bulk of orange for the states planting in Southern California has been done, within the last eight years, and in no case in Rediands, and probably elsewbere, has any seven-year-old grove cost to date, less than \$1000 an acre.

These facts are however. The truth that our fruit is expensively produced is not likely to have much weight at Washington, and if we get a duty of \$2 cents per cubic foot, we will, as The Times undertakes to make out, that a seven-year-old grove can be planted in Rediands because there has practically, for two years, been no more land subject to improvement. It is all planted. This is true elsewhere in the best localities, at any price.

This subject was freely discussed at the late Fasmers' institute here, but difficulty was found in suggesting to large for warning intending planters. No one grove can be planted in Rediands because there has practically, for two years, been no more land subject to improvement. It is all planted. This is true elsewhere in the best localities, at any price.

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One experienced grower asserted that Southern California will



A few sheep can be kept very cheaply on every farm, for they will eat much that other stock will not touch.

Southern California will produce 30,000 carloads per annum, within five years. Another eminent grower and packer claimed that in five years one-half the acreage in Southern California would be abandoned as unprofitable. Both these views seem somewhat overdrawn, but that a crisis is approaching there is no doubt. When that is passed none but that a crisis is approaching there is no doubt. When that is passed none but the localities which can be counted on the fingers of one hand will be in the business and there it will be moderately profitable on a valuation of \$1000 per acre.

Such places as Redlands, Highland Duarte, Azusa, North Pomona, portions of Riverside and a few minor localities can produce on orange for which there will always be a demand, no matter if the product of the paupers and barbarians of Spain, Sicily and Mexico is given away on the streets of Chicago and New York. These few localities will probably, in five years, produce 15,000 carloads of fancy navels, and this will supply the market at \$1 net to the growers—all other ydieties and inferior mavel fruit will not be worth shipping.

In order to avoid the point which may be made that these assertions are general, I will particularize Some localities which will be forced out of the business.

First—All riaces where: sandy soil prevails. This covers a big acreage, and the young trees look pretty well at prespit, but they will shortly have consumed the substance of the soil and live on fertilizers any more there are some of fertilizers which will one of fertilizers, which will cost all the fruit will be worth. Nor will the trees flourish on fertilizers any more there are no seed the soil and seed his partie; we consumed the substance of the soil and live on fertilizers which will cost all the fruit will be worth. Nor will the trees flourish on fertilizers any more these are seed to a present department of the point which may be made that these assertions are general, I will particularize Some localities which will cost at present the substance of

and the young trees look pretty well at present; but they will shortly have consumed the substance of the soil and live on fertilizers, which will cost all the fruit will be worth. Nor will the trees flourish on fertilizers any more than a man can live on cake.

Second—All localities where suraying, and fumigation for insects are required. The cost will be a prohibitory tax on low-priced fruit.

Third—All localities where first is a visitor once in three years, even if the leaves and fruit sours only are frozen.

Fourth—All localities where water supply is scanty or uncertain.

Fifth—The coast districts where fogs and ocean air combined to produce a discolored and inferior fruit.

The Times could not do better than to call out communications on this subject from such men as Mr. Fuller of Colton, Mr. Holmes of Riverside or Mr. Lyon of Redlands.

A. H. REVELL.

The Seventh Annual Poultry Show, which has been open during the week in Los Angeles, is an interesting exhibit, and should have been more largely patronized. A number of very fine birds are exhibited, and the display is one that is not only interesting to chicken fanciers, but to the general public.

Poultry and Eggs by the Pound.

At a meeting on the 20th ulti, the



GEMERAL

although it now appears as if the sci-ence of manuring is now about as well understood as it is ever likely to be, in the application of these principles we are only at the very beginning. The trouble in the application of the well-established principles arises from the variation of soils and weather. He warns farmers both against discrediting principles which are certainly sound. principles which are certainly sound, and being guided in their practice by the results of a small number of exand being guided in their practice by the results of a small number of ex-periments. It will be years, he thinks, before farmers can spend money upon manuring with well-founded confidence in results. In the mean time they must keep trying and accurately noting what

Fattening Hogs.

[Exchange:] In one respect farmers commonly show the worst of their management in fattening hogs. These animals appreciate and enjoy cleanliness, yet their owners make them live in dirt and then charge them with a natural fondness for filth. This is oppression and slander combined. Every person familiar with their habits knows that when clean straw beds and other comforts are given them they are serupulous to keep clean. When shut up in a narrow pen, where they must eat, sleep and live in one apartment, they cannot but be uncomfortable; and such a condition greatly retards their thriving.

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A "hog pen" has become proverbially a repulsive place; this is the owner's fault and should never be suffered. There is no reason why it should not be clean and even attractive. We hear farmers who raise grain say that they have more straw than they can sometimes use, while at the same moment their hogs have not enough of it to make them a dry and clean bed.

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In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 18th day of January, 1897.
HUGH T. DUFF.
GEO. E. NOLAN.
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS Angeles, ss.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS Angeles, ss. On this 18th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, before me, Edwin A. Meserve, a notary public in and for said county of Los Angeles, state of California, personally appeared Hugh T. Duff and George E. Nolan, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have been unto set many land and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certification. Sidney A. MESERVE, Notary Public in and for Los Angeles County, State of California.

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TATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS Angeles, ss.

1. T. E. Newlin, county clerk and ex-officio clerk of the superior court, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original certificate of co-partnership of The Machinery & Electrical Company on file in my office, and that I have carefully compared the same with the original. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the superior court, this 28th day of January, 1897.

By SAM KUTZ, Deputy.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES. Los Angeles, Feb. 5, 1897.

THE ROTHSCHILDS AND SILVER. The Times recently contained an As-oclated Press dispatch from New York

sociated Press dispatch from New York announcing that the Rothschilds had purchased the Tomboy gold mine in Colorado for \$15,000,000.

Apropos of this news, a New York financial paper recently stated that the Rothschilds had, within the past four months, bought up 127 silver-mining claims in one district in New Mexico. claims in one district in New Mexico, ranging in price all the way from \$1000 to \$186,000. This leads a financial paper—the United States Investor—to inquire whether the Rothschilds intent to rehabilitate silver, after they have depressed the price low enough to scoop in all the desirable mining properties. There does not seem to be any good in all the desirable mining properties.
There does not seem to be any good reason to believe that the Rothschilds have any such Intention. Most of the mines which they have been purchasing in this country have been gold and copper, mines. It is more probable that these great financiers recognize the fact that the coming mining country for big profits is the United States, and they desire to get in "on the ground floor."

COMMERCIAL.

WHEAT AND SUGAR BEETS. the recent annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture, in Sacramento, an interesting report was submitted by the secretary, Edwin F. Smith, in which an instructive showing was made in regard to the possibilities for the extension of California's productive interests. Much space was given to the subject of sugar-beet culture in California. The report showed that California has sufficient land that would produce twelve tons of beets to the acre of 15 per cent, sugar to supply the entire United States, and keep over \$100.000.000 of money at home which is now sent abroad for sugar every year. which an instructive showing wa

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Commenting upon this proposed legislation, the mining editor of the Examiner says:

"The miner should be guarded as far as possible, of course, but people who are developing the mineral resources of the country also require some consideration and should be put to no unnecessary annoyance. It would be impracticable to obtain such a bond in many instances even where the parties many instances, even where the parties were perfectly honest in their intenwere perfectly nonest in their inten-tions. For instance, there are many small companies now opening mines under bond, the members of which pay in so much monthly on their stock, the money being used in developing the property. There may be twenty, thirty or forty individuals in such companies. No one or half a dozen of them would No one or half a dozen of them would be willing to file bonds for the payment of wages and supplies in case of default by the others. It is usual in such cases, when the money gets short, to stop work before any debt accrues. The miners and merchants dealing with such companies can by inquiry find out enough about the standing of the parties to satisfy themselves about find out enough about the standing of the parties to satisfy themselves about their bills. They would then be taking only the ordinary business chances every one takes. For one dishonest mining company there are a hundred honest ones, and the latter should not be impeded in their efforts at opening the mines. The country needs development, especially in the mining regions, and there should be no laws passed which will hamper decent people because there happens to be a few dishonest ones in the world."

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Wholesale Quotations Revised Daily. Wet weather has made eggs a little firmer, the ruling price being about 15c. Saturday is steamer day, and receipts of butter from the North make that commedity a little weaker.

Provisions.

Hams—Per lb., Rev. 11%; boneless, 8; boneless butts, 7½; selected "mild cure," 8%; skinned. If; pienie, 5½.

Dry Salted Pork—Per lb., clear bellies, 7; sbort clears 6½; clear backs, 5½.

Dried Beeff—Sets, 10%; insides and knuckles, 12½; outsides, 8.

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Pickied Pork.—Per half bbl. 50 lbs., 8.00.
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Bacon.—Rex breakfast bacon, 10; Diamend C, special fancy wrapped, 12; Diamond C, breakfast backs, 7%;
Lard—Rex. Pure Leaf, tierces, 5%; kettle rendered, in fancy 56-lb, tubs, 6; Ivory lard compound, 5%; Rexolens, 5%; White Label lard, tierces, 5%; rendered, in the compound, 5½: Rexoleus, compound, 5½: Rexoleus, lard, tierces, 5½.

Fresh Meats.

Butchers' prices for wholesale carcases: Beef-Prime, 5% @6%. Veal-5@7. Mutton-5@514: lambs, 5@6. Dressed Hogs-514:

Beans. Beans—Lady Washington, 1.70@1.80: navy. 1.80@2.00; pinks, 1.60@1.75: Limas, 2.50@2.75; black-eyed, 1.50@2.00; peas, 2.50@3.00. Eggs—California fresh ranch, 14@16.

Cheese.

Cheese-Local, large, 11; Young America, 2; hand cheese, 13; Swiss, imported, 25; merican, 14@16; Limburger, 13@15. Dried Fruits.

apples—Evaporated, 6½67. apricots—7@10. eaches—Per lb., unpeeled, 6@9; peeled, 11

.25@1.75; uncured, fancy, 1.25; limes, 50. .25.
-Pears-Winter Nellis, 1.75@2.00.
Apples-Per box, 1.25; fancy, 1.50@1.75;
astern, in barrels, 3.50@4.00.
Strawberries-12@14.
Millatuffs.

Bran-Per ton, local, 18.00; northern, 18.00. Shorts-Per ton, 20.00. Rolled Barley-Per ton, 17.00. Vegetables.

Beans—Sigs.

Peas—2gs.

Beets—l'er 100 lbs., 75.

Cabbage—Per 100 lbs., 75@90.

Chlics—Dry, per string, 50@60; Mexican, per lb., 15; green, 6.

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Onions—Per 100 lbs., 2:25@2.50.

Potatoes—Per 100 lbs., River Burbanks, 1.15@1.25;

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Carly Rose. 1.20@1.25.

Turnips—Per sack, 75.

Tomatoes—1.00@1.10.

Radishes—15.

Rhubarb—1.00.

Lettuce—15.

Flour-Los Angeles XXXX flour, 5.00 per bbl.; Capitol, 5.00; northern, 5.40; full super fine, 4.50; eastern, 6.25; Washington, 3.75; graham, 2.50.
Rolled Oats-Per bbl., 4.75@5.00.
Rolled Wheat-Per bbl., 3.00.
Commeal-1.5@1.60.
Wheat-1.5@1.60.
Hay.
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Live Stock.

Hogs-Per cwt., 3.25@3.37½. Beef Cattle-2.50@3.00. Lambs-Per head, 1.50@1.75. Sheep-Per cwt., 1.75@2.50. Poultry.

Hens-3.50@4.50; young roosters, 2.75@4.50; old roosters, 2.75@4.50; broilers, 2.50@3.00; ducks, 4.50@5.50.

Turkeys-Live, 14@15.

Hides and Wool.

Hides-As they run, 11; klp, 9; call, 14%; bulls, 6. Wool-21/2@41/4.

Honey and Beeswax Honey-Comb, amber, 11; white, 12. Beeswax-Per lb., 20@22.

KEW YORK MARKETS.

Shares and Money. [BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

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GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

ELECTRIC ROADS HAULING PRODUCE. An excellent innovation has been made by the Pasadena and Santa Monica Electric Railroad, which is now running a freight car daily, except Fridays, from 'Sherman, between Los Angeles and Santa Monica, to the city, for the benefit of ranchers and others, for the shipment of products. A suggestion of this idea was made years ago in The Times. Such a method of shipment opens up great possibilities to the farmers in sections within a reasonable distance of the city.

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L. E. & W. 16
Man. Con ... 884
Minh. & St. L. 19
Moshile. & C. 15
Mich. Central ... 90
Mo. Pacific ... 92
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Na'l Linseed ... 13
North And ... 94
North Pac ... 154
North Pac

Com. Cable Co. 150

Bond List.

U. S. n. 4s reg. 1224 C. P. 1sts. '95... 101

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U. S. 5s reg... 11334 D. & R. G. 4s. 884

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Pacific 6s. '95... 1635 H. & T. C. 5s... 108

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The official clos-og quotations for mining stocks today were s follows:

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Andres 13 Lady Wash. Con.

Betcher 28 Mexican

Best & Belcher 66 Occidental Con ...

Bullion 3 Ophir ...

Caledonia 10 Overman ...

Challenge Con 46 Potosi ...

Cholidene 100 Scorpion ...

Con. Imperial 1 Silve Hill ...

Crown Point 29 Union Con ...

Gould & Curry 45 Utah Con ...

Hale & Nor 105 Yellow Jacket ...

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STATE OF TRADE.

Dun's Weekly Review.

Silver and Consols.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Silver, 29%d;
113 3-16.

favorable in the money market and a large sale of securities in connection with the Northern Pacific and Oregon Navigation interests to European purchasers will put of still further the possibility of gold exports. It is also cheering evidence of confidence and the sale of the sale Pacific Const Hops. GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

wood will be taken and stored, it is believed, if western holders continue to demand higher prices.

Prices of Bessemer pig and gray forge at Pittsburgh have slightly advanced, with a much more hopeful feeling, notwithstanding the comparative narrowness of the demand for finished products, and in plates and wire nails there is much more business, with good prospects. Billets are quoted at \$15.25, with scarcely any demand at present, and rods at \$21, while No. 27 black sheets are quoted at only 2c. Reports that 25,000 tons of steel plate and sheet bars have been exported to England are only indications of the temporary excess of supply over demand in this country, and are not supposed to have realized any profits. Yet it is stated that prices of cast pipe are from \$2\$ to \$3\$ per ton lower at New York than at Scotch works. Bars are quoted, at the lowest price ever known at New York than at Scotch works. Bars are quoted, and steel rails are still inactive and unchanged in price, the buyers waiting for a decline corresponding to the fall in blicks. But on the whole the demand for Iron and steel products is slowly gaining and considerable portion of the works is fully employed, though the gain is not yet enough for those who have taken farge stocks of material or products on speculation.

Failures for the week have been 211 in the United States, against 223 last year, and 63 in Canada, against 67 last year.

Bank Clearings. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the total clearances at the principal cities, and the percentage of increase of decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year.

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	Amount.	Ine.	
New York \$	601,944,237	7.3	
Chicago	76,695,961		9.6
Boston	99,460,635	21.3	
Philadelphia	67,890,924		
St. Louis	25,227,005	2.4	
San Francisco	13,436,045	15.5	
Baltimore	17,756,378	22.3	
Pittsburgh	14,598,949	4.3	
Cincinnati	11,358,300	4.6	
Kansas City	10,083,009	4.1	
New Orleans	8,565,041		19.3
Buffalo	3,671,480		8.2
Milwaukee	4,206,755		16.8
Detroit	4,741,170		21.1
Louisville	6,177,645		14.0
Minneapolis	5.579.333		33.9
Omaha	4,082,810		7.4
Providence	4,854,800		8.1
Providence	6,420,613	8.0	
Cleveland	5.234,869		
Houston	2,869,058		42.3
St. Paul	2,895,433	2.4	****
Denver	4.090.821	9.8	
Indianapolis	3,203,600		6.4
Columbus, O			2
Hartford	2,646,028	****	
Richmond	2,427,571	8.5	
Washington	1,687,959	12.9	****
St. Joseph	1,246,773		1.5
Peorla	1,654,390		9.3
Memphis	1,888,740		30.3
Portland, Or	1,142,671		19.8
Rochester	1,785,680		5.8
New Haven	1,733,697	6.7	
Savannah	2,409,612		17.2
Springfield, Mass	1,479,901	15.7	
Worcester	1,319,732		9.7
Portland, Me	1.146,479		
Atlanta	1,377,776		10.4
Fort Worth	1,398,810		23.2
Waco	1,349,385		40.4
Syracuse	895,923		20.5
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Des Moines	645,505	0.0	1.6
Grand Rapids	364,074	****	18.9
Seattle	994,246		13.8
Los Angeles	451,371		22.1
Taeoma		21 0	
Spokane	599,436	31.9	90 7
*Galveston	4,029,700	****	20.7
Salt Lake	880,296 456,371	****	20.0

Totals for the United \$1,047,109,766 4.0 ... Exclusive of New York New 445,165,528

Bradstreet's Review.

*Not included in total.

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW NORK, Feb. 5.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Trade, which was retarded by unfavorable weather a week ago, has recovered somewhat weather a week ago, has recovered weather cut into the stocks of heavy goods. Other the week deeped the sale of spring goods. Other states were the sale of spring goods. Other shall weather a week ago, has recovered to the market, nor advanced prices ahead. The heavy la-rease in the sales of wool for the week, 40,000,000 pounds, at Boston since January I, against 21,000,000 pounds last year, is hased largely upon the expectation of a high duty on wool. One of the most unsatisfactory inclustrial features is the lack of demand for iron and steel, prices of which in the Central Western States have got below nominal quotations.

Exports of wheat, flour included, from both coasts of the United States and from St. John, his week, amount to 3.718,000 buxhels, as compared with 2.215,000 bushels last week 2.907,000 in the week a year ago, 2.262,000 bushels in the week two years ago, 2.678,000 bushels in the week ay and, as contrasted with 3.331,000 bushels in the week a year ago, 1.222,000 bushels in the week appears again in the total for the present week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February last year, 253 in the like week of February, 183, three m

This week, against 56 last week.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Bradstreet's financial review tomorrow will say: In the main the current speculation is of a purely professional kind and requires no description for examination of the regular to act on the bear side, there were evidences from time to time that the underlying tone of the market is bullish, that stocks are in firm hands and that liquidation is a matter of the past. Europe took little or no part in the proceedings except in the common part in the proceedings except in the common part in the proceedings of the same stocks are in firm hands and that liquidation is a matter of the past. Europe took little or no part in the proceedings of the same stocks are in firm hands and that liquidation is a matter of the sale of a large block of Northern Pacific securities to a Bearlin interest were widely commented on. It should, however, he noted that the friends of the property bought the stock in this market with a confidence based on knowledge of the interest which has been formed with the Great Northern Railroad. One of the fruits of this is seen in the steps which it is said have been taken by the two companies to obtain representation in the Oregon Railway and Navigation, with the object of preventing that property being used adversely to their interest in those factors. On these factors the advance in Northern Pacific preferred and common, which began laft week, continued, attracting considerable outside buying and carrying the quotations on last Monday up to \$5% for the preferred stock and 16% for the common. The announcement of the deal between the reorganization syndicate and the German interests was, as usual in such cases, the signal for realizing sales and a recession which depressed the preferred to 37% and common to 14%. Intimations were, however, forthcoming that other plans of considerable magnitude are in preparati in by the Northern Pacific management and the stocks of the road recovered somewhat and displayed a very firm appearance un NEW YORK, Feb. 5.-Bradstreet's financial

LONDON, Feb. 5.-Pacific Coast hops, £3

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Atchison, 14%; Bell Tele-hone, 2.15; Burlington, 74%; Mexican, 8%.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat was subject at the opening to much the sape influences as it was Thursday morning. The Liverpool market was rather disappointing because the advance was only ½d to begin with. Both New York and Chicago houses doing an export business reported that there had been of foreign acceptances of wheat or foreign offers made to the United Kingdom and the continent yesterday. The Northwestern receipts were heavier, which was an additional disappointment to the bulls at the start, and still another disquieting circumstance was the falling snow at the time of the opening. The opening price of 75½, against yesterday's closing price of 75½, with a sale or two as low as 75¼. It kept within the range of 75¼ 475% for about an hour and then gradually improved until it got to 78. At the latter point it made a rapid spurt to 76¾, and a sale or two at 76½ occurred during the confusion incident to the quickness of the rise. The strength was brought about by the report of rains in the Southwest, which were supposed to have carried off the snow protection and left the wheat plant exposed to injury from the cold wave which its said to be approaching that territory. The later cables were also said to be better, and the clearances from the seaboard showed up generously, amounting to 480,000 bushels in wheat and flour. Chicago received 17 carloads, against 130 on the similar day of the previous week. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 259 cars, compared with 134 last week and 394 a year ago. After the market had touched 76½ a reaction to 76 took place. This price was maintained for some time, but during the closing hour the tame closing cables, coupled with the realizing, which gradually assumed quite generous proportions, brought about a further reaction to 75%. The closing price was maintained for some time, but during the closing hour the tame closing cables, coupled with the realizing. Which gradually assumed quite generous proportions,

July
September 26%

Oats, No. 2—
February 154/
May 17%

July 18%

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy: No. 2 spring wheat, 74@747%; No. 2 spring spring timothy seel, 2. 2 white, 174@247, 10 spring spring timothy seel, 2. 2 gr. 20; mess pork, per bid, 7.46@7.47%; lard, per 130 bs. 3.56%2.57%; short ribs, sides (loose.) 3.67%@3.32%; dry salted shoulders (boxed) 44%@44%; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., 1.17.

Grain Movements.

Receipts. Shipments.
5,000 7,000
13,000 32,000
438,000 85,000
399,000 148,000
3,000 179,000 11,000

Chicago Live Stock Market.

Liverpool Grain Market.

Kansas City Cattle Market. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500: shipments, 1900. Market steady to strong and active. Native steers, 2.55@5.00

Petroleum. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Petroleum was steady. United closed 92 bid. Pennsylvania brude was steady. March closed 92 bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Floura-Family extras, 5.00@5.15; bakers' extras, 4.75@4.85; wheat-No. 1 shir No. 1 shipping, 1.40; choice, 1.41%;

Barley-Feed, fair to good, 721/2@75; choice,

milling, 1.45@1.59.

Barley-Feed, fair to good, 72½@75; choice, 77½@85; brewing, \$5@90.

Oats-Fancy white feed, 1.37½@1.45; good to choice white feed, 1.15@1.35; poor to fair, 1.00@1.10; Surprise, 1.45@1.55; gray, 1.15@1.36; black for feed, \$5@1.05; black for seed, 1.10@1.20; black for feed, \$5@1.05; black for seed, 1.10@1.20; black for feed, \$5@1.05; black for seed, 1.10@ 1.25; red, 1.10@1.20; milling, 1.30@1.45.

Middings-Per ton, 18.00@20.30; California brân, 12.20@1.30; outside brands, 12.00.

Hay-Wheat, 8.00@11.00; wheat and oat, 7.00 @10.00; oat, 6.00@8.00; river barley, 5.00@6.50; best barley, 7.00@8.50; alfalfa, 6.00@7.50; clover, 6.00@8.00; stock, 5.00@6.00; compressed wheat, 6.00@9.50; compressed oat, 6.00@7.50; clover, 6.00@8.50; clover, 6.00

seediing, 75@1.25; common lemous, 1.50@2.00; fancy, 2.25 @2.50.
Tropical fruits—Hawalian bananas, 1.00@7.200; New Orleans bananas, 1.50@2.50; pine-apples, 2.00@4.00; Persian dates, 6 per lb.; Mexican limes, 5.00@6.00.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 21@22; seconds, 18@18; fancy dairy, 16@17; seconds, 14@15; pickled II; frikin, 13@14.
Cheese—Fancy mild new, 34@10; fair to good, 7@84; California cream cheddar, 104@14/5; western, 12@12/6.
Bustern, 12@12/6.
Ergs—Ranch, 17@18; store eggs, 15@16; castern, 14@15; western, 12@12/6.
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Foultry—Live turkey gobblers, 16@17; turkey hens, 16@17; roosters, old, 4.00 per doz, young, a.00@5.00; brollers, small, 3.00@4.00; large, 4.50@5.00; hers, 4.50@5.00; hers, 4.50@7.50; geese, per pair, 1.50@2.00; pigeons, old, 1.00; young, 1.50@2.00; wese, 7.50; common, 1.00@1.50; white geese, 75@1.00; brant, 1.50; honkers, 4.00; English snipe, 2.50; common, 1.00@1.50.

Drafts and Silver. FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Silver bars, exican dollars, 52@52½; drafts, sight,

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat was weak; December, 1.21%; May, 1.83%. Barley, ateady; May, 73%. Corn, large yellow, 75@ 77%. Callfornia bran, 12.50@13.00.

Beans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Beans—Pink, 1.10@1.20; pink, 1.75@2.00; small white, 1.20@ 1.30; large white, 1.06@1.15.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, Feb. 5, 1897.

Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.)

A B Smith et ux to W A Johnson, fraction of thirty inches of water as soon as developed, in sec 2, T 1 S, R 9 W, \$862.

Same to W D Ellis, two-thirtieths of thirty inches of water when developed upon above lands, \$500. ches of water man, \$500.

Same to William Cook, one-thirtieth drty inches of water when developed usove lands, \$250.

Tougherty, fraction above lands, \$250.

Same to George T Dougherty, fraction of thirty inches of water when developed upon lands above described, \$120.

Same to H W Johnson, same when developed, \$432.

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Same to J H Judson, three inches when developed above, \$750.

Same to James A Johnstone, fraction of thirty inches water when developed upon above lands, \$335.

C J Fox et ux to Robert Steere et ux, part

above lands, \$375.
C J Fox et ux to Robert Steere et ux, part of lots 7 and 8, block G, Mott tract, \$2000, Pedro Bartz to Jean Pourroy, lots 14 am 15 of the Keller lots, on the north side of Aliso street, \$1555.
Don Carlos Porter to William C Bryant, lots 2, 2 and 4 of A O Porter's subdivision of the Porter & Green tract, \$100.
The O'Frien Investment Company to Miss Carrie Collins, lot 2, block G, Nadeau Orange tract \$300.

2500. Hot S., Block 1, Roseate Centerly, 2520. Charles Collins to Allison Barlow, lot 8, block 4, Moulton's addition, 2700. H K Miller et ux to William H Eckles, part of sec 20, T 1 S, R 9 W, \$100.

Peter J Brannen' et ux to Charles F W Karstadt, lots 65, 66, 67 and 68 of the P J Brannen tract, \$600.

Mrs Amanda Platt Larkins et con to William C Burpes, lot 18, block 13, town of Covina, \$125. W Little et con to Elizabeth F Knowiton, lots 44, 46, 48 and 50, block L, Monroe's addition to Monrovia, \$5000.

SUMMARY.

Woodmen of the World. Woodmen of the World.

A new camp was organized at Santa
Monica last Saturday night. The following officers were elected and installed;
Dr. T. H. Waite, C.C.; H. G. Dunstan,
A.L.; P. S. Allen, Clerk; F. N. Hathaway, Banker; F. R. Pleasance, Escort;
C. Thorp, W.; A. C. Lewison, Sentinel;
Messrs. Aseltine, Shedenhelm and
Brown, Managers.
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Pasadena Camp had a double celebration last Saturday night, in the event of their first anniversary and the official visit of Head Consul F. A. Falkenburg. Two candidates were initiated and seven applications received. At the close of the camp a social session and banquet was held, to which the ladies were invited. A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation of a goldheaded cane to the Head Consul by the camp, the presentation speech being made by Judge Rossiter.

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Pasadena Camp has received about seventy-five new members the past

week.

The stag party and smoker given by La Fiesta Camp, No. 63, Monday night was well attended, a large number being present from Pasadena. The principal feature of the evening was the address delivered by Head Consul F. A. Falkenburg. Nearly a hundred new applications for membership were reported.

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The visit of Head Consul F. A. Falkenburg to the camps of this vicinity has been productive of much good, the membership of the order having been increased about 300. Mr. Falkenburg is a very genial gentleman, and one of the most prominent fraternal men in the United States, having been one of the principal orators at the late session of the National Fraternal Congress. The visit of himself and estimable wife will ever be a pleasant memory to the members of the order in Southern California.

A charming reception was given on Tuesday evening by Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Newkirk, assisted by Mrs. E. C. Sattley, in honor of Head Consul F. A. Falkenburg, wife and daughter, Jessie, also the officers of La Fiesta Camp, No. 63, and their ladies.

MUD BATHS.

Those of New Mexico are Largely

[New York Post:] "The hot springs of New Mexico," says a gentleman from Las Vegas, " are on the Santa Fe Railroad, six miles from Las Vegas, and they are situated in a basin about thirty acres in extent, surrounded on all sides by hills rising to a height of from 300 to 400 feet, shielding the place from wind and sandstorms. The mud baths, which are famous for their cura-tive effects, are only to be had in two places in the world. here and at Carls-bad, Germany, and it has been shown that the mud found at the hot springs of New Mexico, and which is used in giving the baths, is of the same chemcal composition as that of Carisbad. It is very interesting to note the for-mation of this mud or peat. It is formed by the vegetation which has been washed down from the hills probably a century ago, and which, settling among the rocks, has become decomposed and formed into a sub-stance which is practically carbon impregnated with salts, magnesia, soda,

lithia and various other ingredients. "This peat is gathered from the rocks, dried and put through a fine sleve in order to remove the silicates, and after this treatment is as soft as flour, It is then taken to the mixing nour, it is then taken to the mixing-room, where it is put in large tubs and the water from the hot springs mixed with it until it is of about the consistency of mush. The mud is now ready for use, and it is taken into the ready for use, and it is taken into the bathing-room, where the patient is placed in a tub and covered, with the exception of the head, and allowed to remain in the mud for from ten to thirty-five minutes. The application of the mud has an effect similar to a mud poultice, and draws the impurities from the body through the pores of the skin."

Successful Hotel-Keeping.

[February Scribner's:] There is one motive that inspires every kind of hotel so universally that it is a sort of axiom in the business. It is this: "It always pays to please the guest at any cost."

This business is as directly built up and torn down by the opinions of its patrons as any other one could name, and the head mind of a hotel enterprise 'stays awake at nights thinking up schemes to please his customers. His days he spends in seeing to it that they are not displeased.

If pleased they are likely to come again. If they are especially pleased they are liable to say something to somebody that will bring in other patrons, who in turn may bring in still more friends. But if they are displeased, exactly the opposite effect is likely to be brought about. That 4s the hotel man's situation. He would rather lose the profits on a dozen of his patrons than the good-will of one of them.



Man's Energy

IS THE ELEMENT OF SUCCESS IN ALL his undertakings. The snap and vigor

the gift that Nature has bestowed upon all mankind who have not abused her laws. There are men who have never experienced the strength of nerve, the courage and self-confidence that mark the manly man. They have wasted their vitality in early indiscretions. Others have felt the fire of youth only to lose it by dissipation and excesses. These are the men who look with envy upon the man who has preserved the gift of nature, and the feeling of despair at their own weakness destroys the little confidence they have in their own abilities. Young man, is this your condition? Then why don't you listen to the voices of thousands who have been cured? Why go on from day-to day realizing that you are losing your nerve force, your manhood, when you can see a cure within your grasp?

is curing thousands of men in your condition. By its use you can send your life blood and through your veins, feel the exhibitanting sparks of many power in your extens, the brightness return to your eye, and the grip which grasps your fellow by the start and the start with the start of the

hand and tells him that you have to have the control of the contro

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I purchased your Belt for weakness and disease in the kidneys. When I first put it on
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The Doctor's



You suffer from headaches?

Do you have the pain all the time?

It seems so, doctor.

Are these pains dull or sharp?

Sharp, piercing, doctor.

Are your bowels constipated and irregular?

Yes, doctor.

Are you subject to bilious attacks? Is your appetite always good?

Do you feel tired and worn out?

Yes, doctor. Your general system must be put in workng order. The stomach, liver, kidneys and
sowels are at fault. Your appetite is genefour food remains in the stomach undigested.
The remedy I will give you is mild. 2: ke it
regularly.

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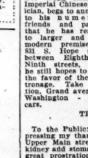
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Examination.



Notice of Removal

new shirt.



To the Public: I take this means of expressing my thanks to Dr. Wong Him of 639 Upper Main street, for having cured me of kidney and stomach trouble which caused me kidney and stomach trouble which caused me great prostration. I was unable to get a good night's sleep for about three years, and, acting under the advice of the best doctors of Chicago, I came here to get welf on the climate, but kept getting gradually worse, until I was told to try Dr. Wong Him, and by the aid of his wonderful life-giving herbs I can say that in three months' time I am a new woman, and feel stronger than I ever did. Any person wishing me to certify this can find me.

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Rhoades & Reed will sell at their salesroom, 409 South Broadway, at 10 a.m., Monday, February 1, a large stock of Ladies, Misses' and Children's Cloaks and Wraps; all new goods, latest styles and wraps; at hew goods, latest styles and shapes. The house handling these goods is going out of this line and they will be sold regardless of cost, BEN O. RHOADES, Auctioneer.

rarry Shirt Company Hatters and Jon's Furnishers.
120 SOUTH SPRING'STREET.

EHERNCALIFORNIANEWS

PASADENA.

AN INTERESTING LECTURE DELIV-

r. Henry A. Cooke Relates His Personal Reminiscences of Long-fellow—A Wedding Anniversary. Petty Litigants Air Their Trou-

PASADENA, Feb. 5 .- [Regular Cor-PASADENA, Feb. 5.—[Regular Correspondence.] Rev. Henry A. Cooke of Boston delivered an interesting lecture upon Longfellow at Throop Institute this afternoon. A large audience gathered to hear him. Brief introductory remarks were made by President Edwards. Mr. Cooke's address consisted largely of personal reminiscences of Longfellow, whom he knew intimately for many years. He briefly sketched for many years. He briefly sketched the poet's life and commented upon his literary work. Mr. Cooke then called upon some of the students and others who recited or sang selections from

Longfellow's poems.
At the conclusion of his lecture Mr.
Cooke called upon President Baldwin
of Pomona College, who was in the
audience and who made a brief ad-

The lecture was given for the benefit The lecture was given for the benefit and under the auspices of the Throop Literary Society. Tickets had been sold by the students and it was announced that Miss Nelms had carried off the palm by disposing of eighty-one tickets. Despite Mr. Cooke's venerable age his enunciation is remarkably clear and distinct and his lecture was heard with great pleasure by all present. WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

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Mr. and Mrs. Elljah Griffith celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their wedding at their home, No. 36 South Pasadena avenue, Thursday evening, Numbers of their friends were present to congratulate them. A pleasant surprise had been prepared for Mrs. Griffith by the ladies of the W. C. T. U. who presented her with a handsome chair as an evidence of their appreciation of her services as president of the local organization during the past two years. A graceful presentation speech was made by Mrs. Terpenning, who was followed by several others. Mr. and Mrs. Griffith responded feelingly to the hearty congratulations and good wishes of their friends.

SMALL LITIGANTS.

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A complaint has been sworn out against Harry Martin, employed at Hoag's livery stable, by Mrs. Lathrop, whose 12-year-old son says Martin threw a stone at him as he was coming home from school. The charge is battery. Martin says the boy was trespassing upon his lawn. The parties will have an opportunity to settle their grievances before Recorder Rossiter to-morrow at 1 p.m.

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The ald of the law was invoked yes-terday by H. F. Cogswell, who sued J. C. Booth to recover \$12 which he al-leged was a balance due him for mak-ing a bread box for the defendant. The point at issue was the true value of the bread box and much weighty and contradictory evidence was given as to its merits and demerits. Recorder Rossiter, however, knows a good bread

as to its merits and demerits. Recorder Rossiter, however, knows a good bread box when he sees one, and after duconsideration the defendant was ordered to fork over the \$12.

John E. Martin was brought into court this morning after a night in the lock-up. John had a jag last evening and unfortunately he took it with him to a Salvation Army meeting. He raised a disturbance and was promptly turned over to the police. His evening's entertainment cost him \$8.

PASADENA BREVITTES.

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A Chinaman named Yeck Sing says he was held up about 6:30 o'clock this morning while driving a vegetable wagon along the county road near Lamanda Park. The highwayman got nothing, however. A tramp was arrested later on suspicion and placed in the lock-up.

Recent arrivals at the Casa Grande include Miss Jessie M. Crandall, W. J. Engle, Mrs. Martha E. Buckingham, Chicago; Mrs. M. E. Reed, Miss L. Reed, St. Louis; Dr. W. J. Ladd, Mrs. W. C. Van Aulen, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Sowle, Minneapolis, Minn.

A runaway occurred early this afternoon. A team belonging to the National Ice Company took fright and
dashed down Green street. They finally
ran down an alley, wrecking a spring
wagon with which they collided and
bringing up against a tree.

Mrs. Athur W. Leaved Toroka, Va-

orninging up against a tree.

Mrs. Arthur W. Lacy of Topeka, Kan., came to Los Angeles for the winter and is spending a week with the family of City Marshal Lacy to whom she is related by marriage. Her husband is a member of the famous Marshal Rand.

The Chinese New Year was celebrated at the Chinese mission on Marengo avenue Thursday evening. The attendance was large and the entertainment was a novel one.

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The Shakespeare Club will hold an open meeting Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Emma Davidson will read a paper upon "Writers for Children"

dren."

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John B. Wood of Riverside, C. E. Showers of San Francisco and Charles A. Freese of Boston are registered at the Carlton.

the Carlton.

The ladies of the Order of the Eastern
Star gave a supper this evening followed by a dance.

W. J. Richardson has purchased the
insurance business of Wood & Church.

San Gabriel River Bringing Soil from the Mountains.

from the Mountains.

AZUSA, Feb. 5.—[Regular Correspondence.] A somewhat hazardous feat was recently accomplished by J. B. Lippincott and his assistant, H. P. Parkinson, of the government geological survey. Suspended in a four-foot box on a wire cable they went out to the center of San Gabriel River and took the velocity of the current with an electrical register. To add to their discomfort it was raining torrents at the time the measurements were taken. They found the river running \$6.500 inches at its highest this season, with a velocity of six miles an hour.

For the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitant the San Gabriel River has deposited a heavy, fertile, silt along its course since the rains began this fall. The deposit has heretofore been pure sand ground from granite boulders. The heavy soil comes from the ashes and exposed soil left by the heavy mountain fires of last summer. According to the opinion of the geological survey these fires and the resulting silt deposits will prove a benefit instead of a damage to the irrigators.

as the river channel has been pretty thoroughly cemented, and seepage prevented. The surveyor finds the Vinciand tunnel absolutely dry, though the river has been minning directly above it since last October. Last year the tunnel received sixty inches of seepage water, and that amount was allowed the Vinciand people by the courts when the allied water companies of this valley transferred the river from its matural channel to a conduit, thus taking the channel from over the Vinciand tunnel. The river is rapidly falling, and is fordable by the lightest vehicles on the newly graveled road between Duarte and Azusa.

STOLEN HORSES FOUND.

STOLEN HORSES FOUND. Deputy Sheriff Crawford this week secured four more of the horses re-cently stolen at Hanford by Greeley cently stolen at Hantord by Greeky and Rood. Two of the animals were found on the Hollenbeck ranch, near Covina, and the others were secured from parties at Glendora to whom the horses had been traded by the thleves. AZUSA BREVITIES.

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The Society of Christian Endeavor will celebrate the sixteenth anniversary of the establishment of the society, at the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath evening. A special programme will be prepared, the young people occupying the hour usually devoted to the regular church services.

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Col. J. Ayres, one of the best-known citizens of the county, is able to be about the streets for the first time in over eight months He had a very severe attack of pneumonia last spring, and has been confined to his room almost continually since.

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SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

ASPIRANTS FOR OFFICE DISTURBED BY WASHINGTON NEWS.

Be Advertised for Sale and Con-tracts for Piping to Be Let-Brief News Notes and Personals.

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 5 .- [Regular Correspondence.] The publication in a local paper of a dispatch from Washington stating that Senator Per-kins would make no appointments for Federal patronage unless the appli-cants had the indorsement of the Republican State or County Committee, has created much discussion, apropos of the threatened fight over the Santa Barbara postoffice. Frank J. Maguire has the indorsement of the County Committee, E. M. Pyle, another candidate, refused to submit his name to the committee. and has based his hopes on Perkins, from whom he expected to get the office. If the dispatch referred to quotes Perkins correctly, Maguire will be the next postmaster. Other indorsements by the committee throughout the county, include W. H. Peck for Lompoc. M. Thornburg for Santa Maria, J. F. Edsell for Santa Ynez, Mrs. Tobey for Carpinteria. Mrs. K. E. Grisingher for Gudalupe with others yet undecided.

THE WATER SYSTEM.

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SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

nection with the transaction.

Mrs. May Leslie, wife of Grant G. Leslie,
died today after a long illness, from consumption. Mrs. Leslie was formerly Miss May
Brocklesby of Goleta. She and Mr. Leslie
were married about two years ago. The
funeral has been announced for Sunday afternon at 2 o'clock, from Grace Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Queen's passanger list for San Ex-

non at 2 when the copai Church.

The Queen's passenger list for San Francisco, leaving tonight, includes W. H. Alison and wife, John Griffin, E. M. Hirschfelder and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Galehouse, J. Ed Miner, Mrs. Charles Fernald, Mrs. J. Litz, Dr. F. R. Orella, A. G. Dunbar, R. Orella and

Commencing Monday the Southern Pacific will discontinue stopping at Chapola street; the last incoming train to stop there will be Sunday evening's passenger train from Los Angeles.

Sunday evening a management of the San Miguel Island Company, as given in today's Times, caused considerable comment and speculation as to the plans of the new commenculation.

any.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Clara Wood eonard Perkins, wife of A. O. Perkins, is mounced for Monday, February 8, at 2 p.m. lrs. Perkins died recently at St. Helena, al.

Cal.

The marriage of W. T. Clerk and Miss Doubleday is announced. Both are well known in this city. The wedding took place a few days ago in New York.

"The Devil and His Theology" will be the subject of Mr. Westenberg's Sunday-night sermon. In the morning, "The Power of Personal Influence."

Personal Influence."

Contractor Reseyh has moved his camp rom the city water tunnel some distance lown the hill, to avoid further accident from alling rocks.

George E. Griffin pleasled guilty to the harge of carrying concealed weapons in the Police Court today and paid a fine of \$10.

P. C. Higgins secured judgment in his favor today in the suit against the California Petroleum and Asphalt Company.

The Methodists are making preparations to receive Bishop Newman next week.

Rev. T. C. Miller, presiding elder, will spend next week in this city. Another rain commenced pouring out its blessing on the land today. Mrs. C. A. Westenberg is in Los Angeles visiting friends.

Wheel Recovered-The Oriental Fete Poorly Patronized.

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POMONA, Feb. 5.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Oriental fete given Thursday evening by local talent was worthy of a much better audience than greeted it. The singing was excellent, the costumes were rich and the affair was well staged throughout, yet the hall was not more than half filled, and there is reason to believe that the rain of tonight will prevent a larger audience being present than that of last night.

night. BICYCLE RECOVERED. BICYCLE RECOVERED.

Wint B. Ross is in big luck. He had a fine wheel stolen Wednesday night and suspected a tramp, who had been fed at the house where he boards. Notice was sent to neighboring towns, and this (Friday) morning the bicycle was found by the roadside near North Ontario. The tramp who had taken the wheel had got breakfast at a house near by. Whether he had left the wheel intending to return or not is not known. The man has not been apprehended, but as the officers have a good description of him, it is thought ambabable that he will be caught soon. ORANGE COUNTY.

NEW BAGGAGE LAW.

The Southern Pacific to Build An-other Shout Road in the Santa Ana Vailey-Chamber of Com-merce Committees Appointed,

SANTA ANA Feb. 5 .- [Regular Correspondence.] Blcycle men in this sec-tion of the county are rejoicing over the passage of the bill in the Assembly making it compulsory for the rail-roads to carry wheels as baggage. This roads to carry wheels as baggage. This matter has been worked up through the bersonal efforts of Chief Consul C. C. Monaghan of the Southern California division of the L.A.W., with head-quarters in this city, and as a result of his work the bill was put through. Wheels will now be transported on railways as baggage and free of charge.

ANOTHER RAILROAD SPUR. The Southern Pacific Railroad Com pany will build another short spur in

pany will build another short spur in this valley in the near future, which will give it another coast point, and will open up a very rich section of the Santa Ana Valley.

The Times correspondent is reliably informed that a spur will be constructed from Benedict station on the line from Anaheim to the new sugar factory at Alamitos, to the land upon which R. J. Northam has secured an option near the Bolsa Chico Bay. Mr. Northam has taken an option on ontion near the Bolsa Chico Bay. Mr. Northam has taken an option on over four thousand acres of land adjoining the Bolsa Chico, and has already arranged to build a fine residence out on the high mesa, near the bay. The Bolsa Chico is one of the sightliest locations in the western portion of the Santa Ana Valley for a town, and it is not improbable that a settlement of some considerable size will soon be built up as a result of the building of the new road. The land that Mr. Northam has secured is now sown to barley, but next year it is the intention of the new owner to plant out a large portion of it to sugar beets. The land is situated only about ten miles from the Alamitos factory, and on the line of the railroad.

road.

The extension of this road to Bolss The extension of this road to Bolsa Chico will make a semi-circle of Santa Ana, and it can now probably be seen what Santa Ana has lost by allowing the Alamitos extension to be made from Anaheim. COMMITTEES APPOINTED

At a recent meeting of the Orange

county Chamber of Commerce the pres ident was authorized to appoint the following standing committees, and the following are now announced by the following are now announced by the secretary:

Membership—H. A. Peabody, H. H. Roper, S. W. Smith, C. E. Parker, H. R. Bristol, J. C. Joplin, E. A. White.

Public and Street Improvements—F, P. Nickey, C. F. Brayton, W. B. Tedford; J. L. Martin, Fred Rafferty, S. H. Finley.

H. Finley. Transportation and Traffic—D. H. Thomas, L. Gildmacher, J. D. Parsons, A. C. Bowers, R. Q. Smith, Thomas

A. C. Bowers, R. Q. Smith, Thomas McKeever.
Manufactories—J. S. Haywood, M. M. Crookshank, James McFadden, J. E. Bunker. J. Reinhaus, T. H. Enderle. Printing and Advertising—George A. Edgar, W. H. Huff, A. J. Padgham, E. A. White.

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Reception and Entertainment—George W. Minter, Judge J. W. Ballard, Dr. J. I. Crane, Dr. M. A. Menges, J. H. Hall. W. W. Crosier, C. M. Holmes, W. F. Lutz.

The committees are made up of the substantial business men of the city, and if they all take hold of the work that will come before them in a business-like way, which they no doubt will, much good may be expected to come from the new chamber the coming year.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES. ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

District Attorney West has filed information against James Henry, the vicious hobo who made an assault upon J. R. McMurdo several weeks ago with a big pocket knife, charging the fellow with assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder. February 12 was the date set for arraignment. It will be remiembered that the hobo attempted to cut Mr. McMurdo's throat and for his pains received two bullets from the officer's pistol, but without fatal effect.

The following trial jurors were drawn

pistol, but without fatal effect.

The following trial jurors were drawn Friday in the Superior Court: George H. Clark, F. R. Farman, L. F. Lewis, J. W. King, G. W. Griffith, Jr., W. A. Bear, A. H. Clark, A. Gardner, C. N. Burbank, George B. Bixby, J. F. Snover, John Jackson, J. D. Thomas, Sam Tustin, W. S. Ritchey, F. E. Cone, Sam Ross, F. M. Gist, E. C. H. Rranzer, W. F. Brown, David Gockley, W. F. Crawford, Albert Fuller, William McDavitt, The jury is called to appear February 10, 1897.

Sheriff Nichols arrived in Santa Ang.

10, 1897.
Sheriff Nichols arrived in Santa Ana Friday morning from Fresno with Henry Williams, the fellow charged with committing forgery here about three weeks ago. Williams's partner was not brought south Williams is now in the county jail here and is uncommunicative.

communicative.

The case of the people vs. Ed Molino and Benseslado Placensia, charged with petty thefts, came up Friday in the Superior Court, on appeal from the Justice Court. The appeal was heard on questions of law and taken under advisement by Judge Ballard. communicative.

advisement by Judge Ballard. *
City Marshal Curtice arrested two tramps Friday and placed them in the jail on Santa Ana. One of the fellows had just sold a lap robe at one of the second-hand stores on Fourth street. The robe was stolen the night before from Robert Paine's buggy.

A demurrer to the complaint in the case of the Irvine Ranch Company vs. Schutt, which has been attracting considerable attention in this valley recently, has been continued to February 12.

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RIVERSIDE COUNTY. Supervisors Establish Rates for Ir-

rigating Water.
RIVERSIDE, Feb. 5.—[Regular Correspondence.] The long-drawn-out con-tention over the water rates for Ales-sandro and Perris ewas today settled. The County Supervisors fixed the rate for irrigating water at 16 cents an inch, with domestic water at the old rates. The 16-cent rate will be in force from May to October, and from November May to October, and from November to February the rate will be 5 cents an inch. In establishing the rates the Supervisors claimed the value of the plant at \$290,000, and the annual expenses of operating the same, for the Alessandro and Perris systems, at \$6000 annually. The receiver of the Bear Valley Company will undoubtedly appeal from the decision of the Supervisors. The price established by the corporation was 35 cents an inch, with no discount for winter water.

It is a rather singular fact that the smaller the locality represented, the larger will be the constables and justices' fees. The Supervisors today and the Frorence with his lamily.

F. J. Greene, the army deserter, will have to answer for giving Martin Brown a worthless check for \$10.

The city proposes to compromise its \$7100 tax bill due the Linda Vista Irrigation District, for \$4500.

The charge of embezzlement brought by S. E. Knapp against Joseph G. Lewis his been dismissed.

C. H. Raiter of Alexandria, Minn., has purchased a twenty-acre ranch at Pacific Beach.

The Hope School District is to have a \$2000 schoolhouse near La Costa.

John R. Curd obtains a divorce from Addie W. Curd.

passed the bill of Constable Trufillo of East Riverside for \$96.75, for January services, Justice Reeder in the same precinct asked for fees to the amount of \$78.

The need of a suitable vault in which to keep county records was discussed by the Supervisors today, and Supervisor Donbar was apointed a committee of one to investigate the proposition.

KICK ON THE WATER RATES.

A call for a water meeting has been issued, and the citizens who oppose the proposed raise of water rates to 15 cents an inch will assemble in the Y.M.C.A. Hall tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock and give voice to their disaffection. If is doubtful if anything they can do will have the desired effect, for the City Trustees are practically committed to the 15-cent rate.

RIVERSIDE RREVITES.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

Judge Campbell, acting for Judge Noyes, sentenced José Domingo to two years in San Quentin for his murderous assault upon José Mecha.

The young city of Elsinore voted water bonds today to the amount of \$20,000. The vote was 75 to 15 in favor of the proposition.

An important suit is on trial in the Superior Courte today. Mrs. Sarah L. Rowley is endeavoring to eject John Furlong and others from her government claim. The defendants have located a mine on the property and claim.

land.
Prof. Hammon of the United States
Weather Bureau gave another interesting address on "Frost Protection" last
night in the Superior Court room. In
general he commends the experimental
work done here, and believes danger
from frost may eventually be done
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A Pennsylvania Railroad excursion party of twenty-eight people is spend-ing a few days in the city.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

CHINAMEN SMUGGLED INTO THE

Carnival Goddess Chosen other War Over Water Rates-Cases That May Go to the United

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 5 .- [Regular Correspondence.] The customs officers have captured a gang of Chinamen and believe that their prisoners were smuggled into this country from Mexico. The four captives were seen yes-terday in the city park in company with two of their countrymen, who carry proper registration papers. The wagon in which the party was driving broke down, and while the guides of the smuggled Celestials were seeking another conveyance, the officers of the law captured the outfit United States Commissioner Knoles has consigned the party to jail awaiting trial on the charge of unlawfully entering this country If a regularly organized gang of coolle smugglers exists here-abouts, it is the purpose of Collector John C Pisher to break it up promptly. The arrests yesterday cause the belief that the smuggling of Chinamen is carried on by well-organized parties.

THE CARNIVAL GODDESS. The vote for the goddess of the Midcal interest. The list of candidates proposed and the votes received are as follows: Miss Ada Ballou, 414: Miss Hinman, 339; Mrs. L. R. Works, 310; Miss Helen Healey. 181; Miss Anne Nicols, 162; Miss C. Polhamus, 100; Miss Burling, 56. Others receiving votes are Miss Amy Gerichten, Miss Mary Luce, Miss Noyès, Mrs. F S. Johnson, Miss Ricks, Miss Pratt Mrs. W. R. Maize, Mrs. A. E. Nutt, Mrs. C. P. Douglas, Miss Lucy Eaton, Mrs. C. P. Richards, Mrs. Alex Reynolds, Miss Ada Smith, Miss V. Bowers, Miss Gillette, Mrs. D. Kirben, Mrs. O. J. Stough, Mrs. J. W. Sefton, Mrs. W. D. Woolwine and Mrs. W. A. Edwards.

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W. D. HAWLEY DEAD. The death of Warren D. Hawley of The death of Warren D. Hawley of El Cajon, at the age 33 years, removes a young man of sterling qualities. He was the son of the late A. W. Hawley, and was born in Milan, O. He leaves two brothers, Guy P. Hawley and George M. Hawley and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Culbertson and Mrs. A. C. Platt, and Mrs. Hawley, his devoted mother.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES SAN DIEGO BREVITLES.
Claus Spreckels, A. B. Spreckels and
J. Spreckels have arrived at Hotel Coronado from San Francisco; also Mr.
and Mrs. Ira Brown, Chicago; H. C.
Fisher, Los Angeles.

Chief Brenning, while seeing the necessity of a chain gang for hobos, states that the authority for establishing such a gang is vested in the Board of Supervisors

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The Jamacha Irrigation District has reflected the old directors, except that E. T. Farnsworth succeeds Mr. Wadsworth. Melville Klauber is treasurer. The plans of Los Angeles architects have been accepted by Judge Henry Schafer for his large three-story block to be erected on the Plaza.

W. H. Earle, proprietor of the Park Avenue Hotel, New York, has arrived at the Florence with his family.

F. J. Greene, the army deserter, will have to answer for giving Martin Brown a worthless check for \$10.

The city proposes to compromise its

ARIZONA NEWS.

VALUABLE JEWELS STOLEN

FROM A TRAVELER.

Joke on a Thief That Worked Both Ways—Arrivals from the Frozen North.

North.

NEW MARKET FOR CRUDE OIL.

AN ONYX FACTORY TO BE STARTED AT PHOENIX.

Military Tactics for the University at Tueson—Stolen Jack-kinives Located—Cow-thief and Murderer Captured.

PHOENIX, Feb. 5.—[Regular Correspondence.] Former residents of Arizona and late arrivals are the most generous of people. They have evidently become imbued with the idea that we Arlzonians are not capable of governing ourselves, and therefore they kindly offer to do it for us. This generous for people. They have evidently become imbued with the idea that we Arlzonians are not capable of governing ourselves, and therefore they kindly offer to do it for us. This generous for people. They have evidently become imbued with the idea that we Arlzonians are not capable of governing ourselves, and therefore they kindly offer to do it for us. This generous from the case of E. S. Gill of Boston, who lived here several years ago, and now believes the Territory cannot furnish as good a man as himself for secretary of the Territory. The latest well-intentioned Republican is a Mr. Penrose of Pennsylvania, who has for a year been superintendent of the Pearce mine. His administration of Pearce camp has been successful, and he now offers to take in charge the whole Territory of Arlzona, as its Governor. Arizona, however, declined with thanks, and will take her chances with "home folks." Good home-grown official timber is not jewelly yesterday afternoon. She left her room at 2 o'clock, leaving her lewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, leaving her lewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, leaving her lewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, leaving her lewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, leaving her lewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, leaving her level case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clo

M. R. Haff, was robbed of \$3000 worth of jewelry yesterday afternoon. She left her room at 2 o'clock, leaving her jewel case closed and on the bureau. On her return at 6 o'clock, the door was still locked, but the jewel case had been rifled. The jewelry comrpises one diamond pendant of ten diamonds; one diamond bracelet with five diamonds; one clover leaf pin, white enamel with diamond center; one diamond can be pearl and diamond can meled pin; one pearl and diamond enameled pin; one pearl and diamond stick pin; seven rings, two of pearls and diamonds, one opal and diamond, one enameled with two diamonds, one brown and white straw diamond and one brown and yellow diamond. The thief has not been apprehended.

FOOLING A POOR HIGHWAYMAN Hereafter when Al Smoot is detained at midnight's darksome hour and is requested to hand over his valuables, he will not parley or hesitate, but will just turn his pockets inside out and assist the highwayman all he can. It is no use trying to just share up with the robber. He knows, for that was the course he tried. It was midnight at the Five Points, and darker than a colored camp meeting. Smoot and a friend were driving along, pearing through the gloom when the dreaded call to "halt!" came. They halted. The highwayman was obliging, and did not care to explore their pockets himself, so he contented himself with their own accounting of their funds. Smoot had a \$29 gold pece and a half dollar. His companion a \$10 piece and a quarter. Each, by the same impulse, extracted the silver and threw it to the ground, where it gave forth a jingle sweet to their captor's ears. Then they drove away, and laughed, at the joke on the poor robber. When they came at midnight's darksome hour and is sweet to their captor's ears. Then they drove away, and laughed, at the joke on the poor robber. When they came to a light they took out their gold, just to laugh over it again. They found a silver half-dollar and a quarter. Then a still, deeper gloom settled over all.

FROM ICELAND TO UNITED a young man of sterling qualities. He twas the son of the late A. W. Hawley, and was born in Milan, O. He leaves two brothers, Guy P. Hawley and George M. Hawley and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Culbertson and Mrs. A. C. Platt, and mrs. Hawley, his devoted mother.

In the case of Ella B. Ward vs. the San Dlego Land and Town Company, wherein plaintiff seeks a continuance of the 35.50 per acre annual water rate instead of the arbitrarily imposed \$7 rate demanded by the water company, the defendant files an answer, and cross-complaint in the Superior Court. The company denies the plaintiff sall bottos, half an inch thick, to be covered with goloshes and worn to save the gradions, and asks that over a hundred other water consumers be required to the water rental, and that it be ordered that Lanning have the right to charge any reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre per annum be declared a reasonable sum for water rental, and \$7 per acre STATES OF AMERICA.
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felt boots, half an inch thek, to be covered with goloshes and worn to save the feet from freezing. They have had no occasion to use them yet, though there feet from freezing. They have had no occasion to use them yet, though there in the control of the process of of the process

The butchers have raised the price of beef, owing to the increased cost of cattle. Board may next be expected

inaugurated last night, and works well for all concerned except the customers. A "sassy" colored bootblack, who talked back when sentenced by His Honor of Wall street, Justice Johnstone, to five days, was given ten days instead. He suggested that he had better be given six months. His Honor thought thirty days would not be amiss, and accommodated him to that extent.

extent.

The police force have bought a pair of Cuban bloo-lhound puppies to be trained for trailing fugitives.

TUCSON, Feb. 2.—[Regular Correspondence.] In explanation of the fol-lowing epistle, it shall be said that it is from a "card of thanks" from a retiring business man, and that part of his name is Patrick. "Here is where I shall return to reside, among God's noble sons and daughters, when I am restored to health. I shall proclaim to the outside world that Pir

restored to health. I shall proclaim to the outside world that Pima county is the place that is composed of milk and honey, and that the people there do not long for the fleshpots of Egypt. Wishing each and every one of Pima's people long life, happiness and prosperity here on earth, and eternal glory hereafter. I am," etc., etc.

A lexislative committee visited the university yesterday and made an inspection of all to be seen there. The committee expressed pleasure and satisfaction at what they saw. Word comes from Washington that Delegate Murphy has introduced a bill in the House providing for aid in the education of military science in the University of Arizona. It is explained that military tactics are already taught in the university, but no provision has been made by the government for instruction in that branch of education. The bill authorizes the Secretary of War to issue ordnance and stores for that purpose to the Territorial university.

The sight of a man knocked out with a club and senseless in a saloon was magnified into that of a first-class murder, with the usual woman, indignant citizens, and threats of lynching by the time the man who saw it got to Phoenix.

John McKenna, a native son of Tucson and a popular young man here, was killed by the cars west of Gila

John McKenna, a native son of ruc-son and a popular young man here, was killed by the cars west of Gila Bend. He was a brakeman and in some unaccountable manner fell under the train. He was found fearfully mangled and cut to pieces.

from which Yuma belongs in California to a considerable extent: "According to the Congressional Record Arizona is that part of New Mexico lying west of parellel 109, unto the line of California. Said line is defined by the treaty with Old Mexico, and is not, as generally thought, the center of the Colorado River, and does not follow said river until it gets away north of the city of Yuma. The line of California runs through the city of Yuma, between the Depot Hotel and the water tank, diagonally through the city of Yuma, leaving the penitentiary about eighteen or nineteen chains west of the line of Arizona and in the State of California." Owing to lack of school funds, the schools will be kept open by private subscription. A sum sufficient to complete the term has been raised. The Philharmonic Band here will disband unless the town contributes \$25 a month toward the expense of the organization.

Owing to the resignation of Murat Masterson, elected to the Legislature, a special election has been called. Hiel Hale is the Republican candidate, and will probably be elected. His opponent is Sam Purdy, who was a bad second in the race last election for District Attorney.

Guadulupe, an Apache murderer and polished in New York and others hand from which Yuma belongs in Califor to a considerable extent: "Accord to the Congressional Record Arizon:

Attorney.
Guadulupe, an Apache murderer and

in the way of taxes.

C. D. Baker last week planted 110 olive trees on his ranch up the Gila.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

FREE SILVER FUSION PREPARING

FOR THE SPRING ELECTION Lemon-growers to Take United Ac-

lar Correspondence.] The silver lining to the Democratic cloud of last fall clon. The fusion element preponderated and strongly advocated a coalition of Democrats, Populists and silver Republicans as the forlorn hope that might lead to victory at the polls. April 6, evidently with the intention of making the coinage of free silver by the city an issue. The meeting was called to order by W. T. Harris. C. T. Lewis was chosen chairman with I. H. Curtis secretary. A fusion committee to confer with the fragments of the recently-organized triad was ordered and the following selected: T. A. Carter, R. F. Garner, M. A. Pace, J. B. Parozotte and Q. W. Curtis. This committee received orders to corral the mavericks, suspected of wandering from the fusion herd, and confer with them Monday evening, and to be ready to report the coming Wednesday. Next came the trouble over the selection of a City Central Committee which should ably represent the diversified interests but be sound on free silver, which is to be the shibboleth of the campaign. A dozen motions were made, some of which died a-bornin' and others were voted down until the ideas of those present crystallized into a final agreement that each ward hold a primary next Monday evening and select five members for such committee, the whole number to be twenty-five. This being settled an adjournment was taken to next Wednesday evening.

LEMON-GROWERS TO CONVENE.

In all citrus contests of later years, both before and after the Midwinter tion. The fusion element preponue-ated and strongly advocated a coalition

LEMON-GROWERS TO CONVENE. In all citrus contests of later years, both before and after the Midwinter Fair, where Ontario took ten premiums on lemons for her ten exhibits, this county, and especially the Ontario corner of it, has captured all the best premiums. demonstrating that this is the banner lemon belt of the country. A move is now to be made to combine the lemon interests and place the fruit on the market in a manner to command more attention and demand the highest market rates. For this purpose a meeting has been called at the San Bernardino National Bank for next Monday afternoon to which all lemon-growers are invited with the object of establishing either here or in Colton a lemon exchange and packing-house for handling all that fruit grown in this section. Colton has a portion of its huge pavillon to ofter as a packing-house and pavilion to offer as a packing-house and pavilion to offer as a packing-nouse and a central location in regard to railroad facilities, while, if located here, as some prefer and city pride suggests, the first expense would be the erection of a packing-house.

COLTON CONDITIONS. COLTON CONDITIONS.

M. A. Murphy was selected at the last meeting of the City Board of Trustees to fill the unexpired term of Trustee O. D. Swartz, deceased. Finding little use for a City Attorney, the board declared the office vacant until further notice, and Attorney T. D. Hamilton is no longer a city official. Porter Bros. are packing oranges in the Southern Pacific freight depot.

The Fruit Exchange has no oranges to pack this week.

METEOROLOGICAL.

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The rainfall for the season up to date is 9 inches, of which 4.34 inches fell before January 1, 1897, with 3.40 in January and 1.26 so far in February. The total rainfall from July, 1870, to July, 1896, was 429.64 inches, or 35 feet 8 inches, an annual average of 16.62 inches. There were only five years when the rainfall was less than 11.50 inches, which were the years of 1871-72, 1876-77, 1882-83, 1893-94, 1895-96. The average for the six highest months 72, 1836-77, 1832-83, 1832-94, 1830-96, The average for the six highest months was for January, 241 inches; December, 2.52 inches; February, 2.64 inches; March, 2.52 inches; November, 1.45 inches; April, 1.33 inches. The greatest variation in any one month was February and the statement of the statement of the six of the statement of the six of the s inches: April, 1.33 inches. The greatest variation in any one month was February, 1896, when there was no rainfall to February, 1884, when it was 12.20 inches. The greatest rainfall for any one season was 1883-84, when it was 37.51 inches.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES. SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

The attempt to establish a pew school district between this city and Redlands was a failure at the first conference, owing to the fact that nearly half the petitioners did not reside the legal two miles from the present schoolhouse.

The Congregational Church has secured as temporary supply for its pulpit, Rev. J. C. Rollins of Denver, Colo., who will preach his inaugural sermon February 14. He comes very highly recommended.

Mrs. Jenny Kempton and her daughter, Mrs. Roth Hamilton, of Los Angeles, were the central figures in a concert given at the Congregational Church last evening.

The school district of Yucapal, abandance.

Church last evening.

The school district of Yucapai, abandoned through internal dissensions, will again be established, the opposing forces having settled their differences.

The Midwinter Times; 48 pages and colored cover; 189 illustrations; full of interesting matter. For sale by local agents: orice, 10 cents.

The school has closed at Minneola, owing to the teacher failing to come in for her certificate at the December examinations.

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Some \$6.00 Men's Suits, Green Tagged to	\$4.50
Some \$10 Men's Suits, Green Tagged to	\$6.35
Some \$15 Men's Suits, Green Tagged to	\$7.35
Some \$17.50 Men's Suits; Green Tagged to	\$10.15
Some \$20 Men's Suits; Green Tagged to	\$12.65
Some \$25 Men's Suits; Green Tagged to	\$13.75
Some \$2.50 Men's Pants; Green Tagged to	\$1.88
Some \$3.50 Men's Pants; Green Tagged to	\$2.38
Some \$4.50 Men's Pants; Green Tagged to	\$3.18
Some \$2.50 Men's Corduroy Pants; Green Tagged to	\$1.98

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	Men's \$3 Dress Hats; Green Tagged to	\$1.90
	Men's \$1.50 Fedora Hats; Green Tagged to	Q7 a
	Men's 35c Bicycle Caps: Green Tagged to	100
	Boys' and Children's 25c and Cloth Turbans, Green Tagged to	Eton Caps
	Boys' 50c Turbans; Green Tagged to	33c
	Children's 75c Tam O'Shan Green Tagged to	1ters; 38c
	Boys' 75c Sombreros; Green Tagged to	

\$75,000 Worth of Goods Green Tagged.

Bargains That Satisfy.

\$4.00 Boys' Reefer Suits; Green Tagged to	\$2.38
\$3.00 Boys' D. B. Knee Suits; Green Tagged to	\$1.98
\$4.00 Boys' All-Wool Knee Suits; Green Tagged to	\$2.38
\$6.00 Boys' All-Wool D. B. Suits; Green Tagged to	\$3.48
\$4.00 Boys' Long Pants Suits; Green Tagged to	\$2.38
\$5.50 Boys' Long Pants Suits; Green Tagged to	\$3.88
\$12.50 Boys' Long Pants Suits, all wool, Green Tagge	\$6.38

Our entire stock of Boys' and Children's Reefer Coats and Overcoats Green Tagged to prices that are

sure to move them quickly.	
25c Boys' and Children's Knee Pants; Green Tagged to	14c
25c Boys' Fast-Black Hose; Green Tagged to	12 ₂ c
40c Boys' Percale Waists; Green Tagged to	25c
50c Boys' Unlaundered Shirts Green Tagged to	29c
Green Tagged to	35C
75c Boys' Fine Wool Underwear Green Tagged to	44c
\$1.00 Boys' Star Shirt Waists, broken lines; Green Tagged to	45c
\$1.00 Boys' Mother's Friend V broken lines; Green Tagged to	Vaists,

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Men's Tan and Black Half Hose Green Tagged to, dozen	84c
Men's Genuine British Hose; Green Tagged to, a pair	19c
Men's 25c British Half Hose; Green Tagged to, a pair	16 ₃ c
Men's 20c British Half Hose; Green Tagged to, a pair	_11c
Men's 50c Goat Skin Gloves; Green Tagged to, a pair	32 c
Men's \$1 Cardigan Jackets; Green Tagged to	48c
Men's \$1.50 All-wool Und'rwear Green Tagged to	75c
Men's 50c Derby Ribbed Underwear; Green Tagged to	36c
Men's \$1.25 Camel's Hair Underwear; Green Tagged to	.87c
Men's \$1 Derby Ribbed Underwear; Green Tagged to	
Men's 50c Suspenders; Green Tagged to	.25c
Men's Percale Shirts; Green Tagged to	.50c
Men's 25c Suspenders; Green Tagged to	_11c
Men's \$1.50 Flannel Shirts;	880

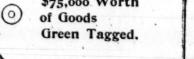
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Shoes; Green Tagged to\$1.65
560 pairs Ladies' \$5. Kid Shoes; Green Tagged to
250 pairs Ladies' \$5 Kid Shoes; Green Tagged to\$2.35
300 pairs Ladies' Dongola Kid Shoes; razor toes; Green Tagged to \$1.95
200 pairs Ladies' Kid Dongola Shoes; Johnson's make; Green Tagged to
160 pairs Misses' Button and Lace Tan, Johnson's make; \$1.15
175 pairs Misses' \$2.50, P. Cox make; Green Tagged to \$1.49
87 pairs infants' 75c Kid Shoes; 45c Green Tagged to
Men's \$2.00 Top Notch Shoes; \$1.25

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	1000 pairs Ladies' Oxfords, broker sizes, prices were up to \$1.50 a pair; Green Tagged to
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l	475 pairs Men's \$2.50 Calf Shoes; Green Tagged to \$1.65
	200 pairs Boys' Calf Shoes; \$1.35
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The Fraternal Field,

Masonic.

Golden Rule Lodge, No. 160, officiated at the funeral of John E. A. Brent Last Sunday. A number of the members of the craft of the craft and a delegation of G.A.R. comrades. William W. Barce, one of the oldest residents of San Pedro, was buried at that place last Sunday winder the is night.

On the eve of his departure
or Mexico, J. B. Hughes of
asadena, was tendered a farewell
inquet by the members of the craft
that city Friday night of last week,
which about seventy were present at that city Friday night of last week, at which about seventy were present. Past Master C. J. Willet acted as toastmaster, and remarks were made by Dr. E. E. Gaylord, Col. W. W. Polk, F. L. Jones, Dr. W. D. Turner, Prof. J. D. Graham, Judge Weed, Capt. Wakeley and others. The exercises were interspersed with some excellent singing by a quartette.

Los Angelse Lodge, No. 42. F. and A.M., conferred the second degree Thursday night.

The following officers have been in-

A.M., conferred the second degree Thursday night.

The following officers have been installed by Los Angeles Council. No. II. Royal and Select Masters: Thrice Illustrious Master, W. B. Scarboough; Ill. Deputy Master, J. N. Preston; Principal Conductor of Work, G. H. Habel: Captain of the Guard, George Sinsabaugh; Conductor, D. M. Sutherland: Treasurer, Niles Pease; Recorder, August Wackerbarth.

La de France Lodge, F. and A.M., held a stated meeting last night.

Signet Chapter, R.A.M., will confer the royal arch degree next Tuesday night.

Los Angeles Commandery, K.T., con-ferred the Order of the Temple Thurs-Order of the Eastern Star.

Order of the Eastern Star.

The Grand Secretary has been sending to the chapters throughout the State this week, the proceedings of the last session of the Grand Chapter.

The Martha Washington party to be given by Acacia Chapter on the evening of the 20th, will be a unique and interesting event. The participants are to wear the continental costumes of Washington's time. Among the features of the evening will be the dancing of the "Minuet" by a party of ladies and gentlemen.

dies and gentlemen.
Acacia Chapter will have initiatory
ork tonight. The third meeting night
each month has been set apart as

Grand Secretary Shaw has received and sent out the new rituals to sub-ordinate lodges throughout the State.

and a delegation of G.A.R. comrades. William W. Barce, one of the oldest residents of San Pedro, was buried at that place last Sunday, under the auspices of Embarcadero Lodge, No. 334. The Knights of Pythias, Ancient Order of United Workmen and Rebekahs, of which deceased was a member, were also in attendance. Rev. A. Fraser, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, delivered the sermon. Greater homors were never paid any deceased citizen of the place.

An interesting meeting of the lodges of District No. 35, composed of Hofer Lodge, No. 60, American, No. 335, Semi-Tropic, No. 371, San Fernando and East Side Lodges, No. 225, was held at the hail of the latter Tuesday night, all the lodges except the San Fernando lodge being well represented. Remarks were made by M. T. Herzog, G. W. Stockwell, F. H. Cunningham, J. W. Rushton, E. Koch, J. Bickell, H. V. Dussen, R. A. Ling, Milton Carlson and E. L. Hutchison, after which it was decided that each lodge organize a degree team and to compete for prizes at the call of the deputy, H. Y. Quackenbush. At the conclusion of the meeting a banquet was served. A large number of visitors from a distance were present, including A. H. Olin, J. W. Cornwell, Tacoma; A. C. Humma, Mount Vernon, Wash; W. H. Putnam, River Falls, Wis; Ed La Point, Pueblo, Col.; J. W. Tupper, Chosen Friends, Ky.; J. C. Ryder, Terry, O.; J. B. Palmeta, Lawrence, Mass.; J. J. Crozier, Sacramento, A. C. Tuttle, Golden Gate, Col.; G. T. Curtis, Stockton; J. A. Wishart, Wells Falls, Pa.; J. C. Sharp, Lawrence, Pa.; J. L. Davidson, Ogden, Utah; M. Purcell, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. Platt Smith, E. B. Coon, San Francisco.

Messrs, Olin, Conwell and Milton Carlson received many compliments for the banquet Tuesday night.

Good Will Lodge, No. 323, had degree work last night.

Grand Patriarch Doran's visit to Magnolia Encampment Thursday night

Good Will Lodge, No. 323, had degree work last night.
Grand Patriarch Doran's visit to Magnolia Encampment Thursday night was made the occasion of a veritable ovation by the members of the encampments and cantons of the city. He visited San Bernardino last night and will be at Santa Ana tonight. Next week's appointments are Pomona, Tuesday;

Santa Monica, Thursday; Riverside, Friday; Orange Grove of this city, Saturday.
Past Grand Patriarch W. F. Slater
and T. W. Ambrose of Ohio, and Conrad Hoeffler of Buffalo, N. Y., were visitors at Magnolia Encampment Thursday night.
The Rebekahs. The Rebekahs.

The Rebekahs.

To enable the Rebekahs of Hanford to furnish one of the rooms in the new crphanage, Hanford Lodge, No. 264, has contributed \$20 to a fund.

Arbor Vitae Lodge, No. 83, initiated two candidates Tuesday night.

Members and friends of Edelweiss Lodge, No. 67, are looking forward with much pleasure to the phantom party to be given by that lodge at Memorial Isall this evening.

Kulghts of Pythias.

Knights of Pythias.

The Executive Committee of the Knights of Pythias Southern California Fienic Association will hold a meeting in this city this afternoon for the purpose of formulating plans to make the psenic of 1897 the best in the history of the association. The members of the committee are Isaac Springer, Pasadena; F. O. Alkire, Riverside: Adolph Muller, San Pedro; A. H. S. Perkins and A. H. Parsons, Los Angeles.

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The celebration of the anniversary of the founding of the order in this city promises to be a very notable event, and will take the nature of a reunion at St. Paul's Episcopal Church on the 21st, by Rev. P. M. Merlinjones of Santa Monica, Chaplain of the third regiment Uniform Rank. Anvitations have been sent to all the lodges in the vicinity and a parade will be had from the Castle Hall on North Spring street to the church, headed by the Catalina band, It is expected that at least 300 Knights will be in line.
One of the most enjoyable events that

has occurred in Khights of Pythias circles in the city this season was at the session of Los, Angeles Lodge, No. 205, last night at the Castle Hall, No. 100 North Spring street. The event of the session was the conferring of the rank of Knisht upon four Esquires. Invitations had been sent to all lodges in the vicinity, and representatives were present from all the city lodges, Pasadena. Pomona, Alhambra, Chino, Santa Monica, Riverside, San Bernardino, and many other places. The work of conferring the rank of Knight was given with the sessistance of the Uniform Rank, and the participants clad in the rich paraphernalla made a grand showing. At the conclusion of the work of the lodge, refreshments were dispensed and a social session followed, with George B. McLaughlin as master of ceremonies. Remarks were made by Deputy Grand Chancellor G. S. Adolph, Judge Rossiter of Pasadena, Mr. Ellwood of Alhambra, Mr. Guthrie of Pomona, Mr. Percy of Chino, Mr. Thacker of San Bernardino and Mr. Goodrich of Hanford. Mr. Dudley of Chicago sang for the company. has occurred in Knights of Pythias circles in the city this season was at

The Maccabers.

The funeral of Charles G. Moser was held at his late residence, No. 805 East Fifteenth street, Tuesday afternoon, under the auspices of Banner Tent. No. 21. A number of members from other tents were also present.

Harry Earl, who was a collector of the order at Tacoma, Wash., was ar-rested at San Francisco for embezzle-ment. It is thought his shortages will reach \$2000.

April 26, and the parlors of that city are preparing to entertain the dele-gates in royal style. A great deal of important business will come before the

session.

The following officers have been elected by the State Board of Relief: H. J. Millzner, President; A. Rahwier, Vice-President; Henry Lunstedt, Secretary.
Golden Anchor Parlor of Gibsonville

Los Angeles Parlor, No. 45, conferred the "hyrugeon" degree on one victim Wednesday night, with Adolph Ramish as Chief Hyrugeon.
Ramona Parlor will have several candidates for initiation tonight.

Chosen Friends, A masquerade ball was given by Pasadena Council. No. 199, Tuesday night, which was well attended, a num-ber being present from this city. Ancient Order United Workmen.

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Los Angeles Lodge, No. 55. at their session Wednesday night, elected J. Kearney, R. N. Lewis, J. F. Greenough and J. M. Craw as delegates to the grand lodge at San Francisco in April. The paraphernalia for screen work has arrived, a team is being riganized, applications for membership are increasing, and No. 55 is having a boom. Over 1600 applications for membership have been received within the past five months, and fourteen new lodges organized.

C. J. Smith and wife of Salt Lake are in the city, and visited Magnolia Degree of Honor Friday night. Mrs. Smith is Chief of Honor of a lodge at Salt Lake.

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Thomas L. Moran of Eureka Lodge, No. 125, Portland, Or., died at the Sisters' Hospital Tuesday, and the funeral was held Friday morning under the auspices of the local lodges.

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High Chief Ranger G. A. McEifresh is expected home from his northern trip next Monday. He instituted Court Precita at San Francisco last Saturday, visited Bakersfield court Thursday night, and last evening instituted a court at Sumner.

Court La Fiesta, No. 880, has fifty-nine candidates for initiation this month.

Court Burbank initiated nine candidates last Saturday night.

Court Fresno, No. 763, has beaten the record. They held an all-night session

last week and initiated sixty-seven night, will visit Lompoc Monday night and thence will proceed home to San banquet. team of Court La Flesta will

banquet.
The team of Court La Fiesta will confer the Oriental Degree at the rooms of Court Olive next Thesday night, and a high old time is expected.
Court Los Angeles, No. 422, and their lady friends will enjoy themselves with a ball this evening.

Ladies of the G. A. R.

At the late installation of officers of Union Circle, No. 19, the retiring Pres-ident, Mrs. Marv J. Hyatt, made an interesting, report of the past two years, showing that she had made over 20 visits, written 150 letters and had performed the flag service at the funperformed the flag service at the fun-erals of fifteen comrades of the rebel-lion. During her term of office fifty ad-ditions have been made to the member-ship of the Circle and several honorary members received. The Circle has dis-tributed \$400 among the families of des-titute soldiers beside an indefinite num-ber of small donations from individual members.

members.
Union Circle, No. 19, held a pleasant social at the home of Comrade and Sister Fisk on Thirty-ninth street on Thursday, from 2 to 10 p.m.
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Los Angeles Lodge, No. 1, will meet at Elks' Hall next Mohday night and expect to have several initiations.

Bartholomew Lodge had initiatory services last Saturday night.

The Supreme Lodge held its first annual session Thursday afternoon and transacted much important business, prominent measures being the adoption of a \$500 endowment, a revision of assessments, a change in the manner of paying initiation fee, and providing for the organization of ladies' lodges. A full record of the proceedings appeared in yesterday's Times.

The Supreme President paid a visit to Dandy Lodge, No. 4, Thursday night and gave an encouraging talk to the members thereof.

Junior Order United American Mechanics.

F. M. Black, one of the active members of Union Council, No. 5, has gone to Guatemala.

Magnolla Council, No. 8, of Riverside tendered a reception to State Councilor H. C. Schaertzer Wednesday night. State Councilor Schaertzer paid a visit to Union Council Monday night, Gen. Joseph Warren Council, Thursday night, at all of which places he delivered pleasing addresses for the good of the order in general and the councils in question in particular. His visit to this section has been productive of much good. He was at Santa Barbara last

Francisco.

Union Council, No. 5, met in its new quarters at A.O.U.W. Hall, No. 213 South Main street, for the first time Monday night. Among the business transacted was the installing of A. H. S. Perkins as Councilor, and G. P. Hayes as Conductor, by Deputy National Councilor C. N. Wilson.

Columbia Council, No. 4, Daughters of Liberty. Initiated two candidates at their last meeting, and appointed a committee to arrange for an entertainment the latter part of the month. This council now holds its meetings the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at No. 245 South Spring street.

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Hancock Council has extended an invitation to all members of the order to be present at the entertainment to be given on next Thursday evening. State Councillor Schertzer made an official visit to Hancock Council, No. 20, Thursday evening. A vote of thanks was tendered him for the many valuable suggestions given in his address. He pronounced Hancock Council in every way the banner council of Cali-fornia.

Hancock Council has decided to send a delegate to the National Convention of the Jr.O.U.A.M. Funeral Benefit As-sociation, which meets in Newark, N. J., the 22d inst., and his selected M. H. Pellinger, party representative. Bellinger as its representative.

Los Angeles Lodge, No. 2925, gave the degree of manhood Wednesday evening with the lodge team in full uniform. A number of new applications were received. R. D. Wade was elected a delegate to the Grand Lodge, which convenes in San Francisco next month. A. H. Voight, Past Grand Dictator, and H. C. Austin, chairman of the Committee on Laws, will also attend.

Royal Arcanum.

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At the session of Los Angeles Council, No. 1489, Thursday night handsome badges were presented to Past Regent E. L. Davidson and Regent J. H. Smith, the presentation being made by Deputy Supreme Regent Wilman.

Six applications for membership were received by Los Angeles Council Thursday night.